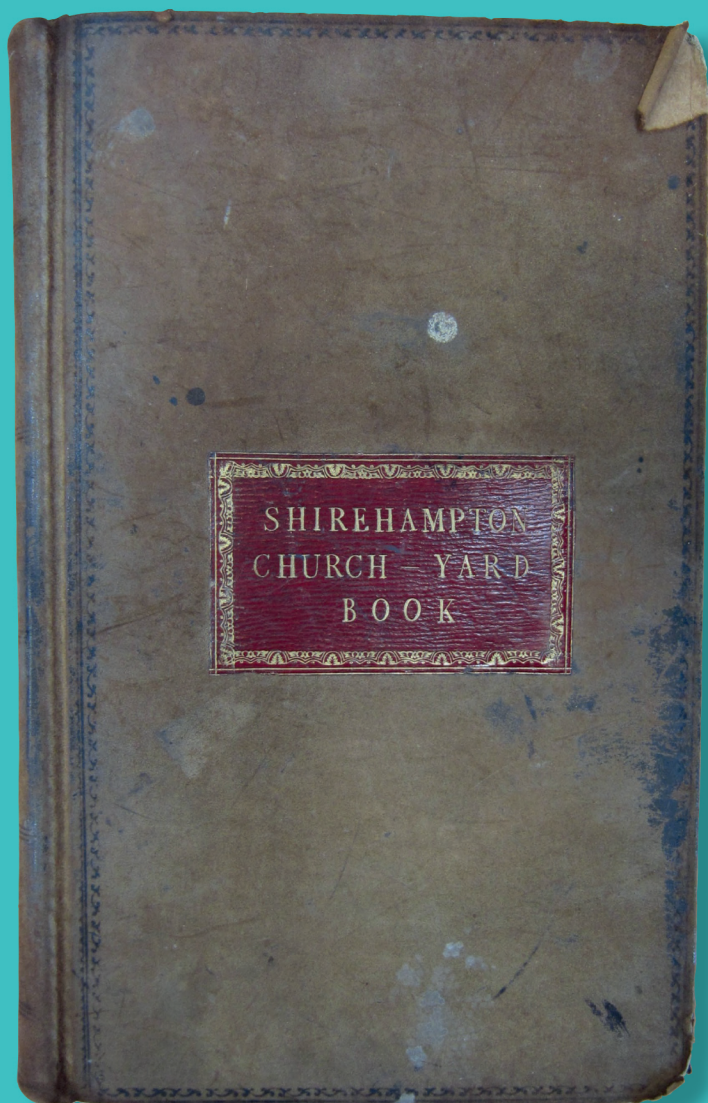


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The Shirehampton Church-Yard Book is an unusual document. It is an index to a map, maintained from 1869 onwards for over 120 years, which matches graveplots in St Mary's churchyard, Shirehampton, with their occupants, including many buried before that year. It records over 1200 burials between 1765 and 1992, beginning well before Shirehampton became a separate parish in 1844. It covers a period during which Shirehampton's population expanded massively thanks to the creation of Avonmouth Docks, a period during which funerary practices changed markedly. It is far more than an ordinary sexton's register, often giving details of the cause of death, street address, occupation and social as well as family relationships, as well as the age of the deceased, the structure of the grave and the depth of burial. No comparable document found in regional archives of the West presents anything like such a range of information, over anything like so long a period. The text is accompanied by an introduction describing the Church-Yard Book and situating it in its historical and parochial context. It is illustrated by a variety of images, and has been provided with a new index to all the graves.

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Front cover of the Shirehampton Church-Yard Book.

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Frontispiece: the Rev. Arthur Mansfield, instigator of the Church-Yard Book
(Bristol Archives P.St MS/P/1/1/2)

INTRODUCTION

The present book is an edition of the Shirehampton Church-Yard Book (Bristol Archives [BrArch] P.St MS/I/6/1). This document is a mid-nineteenth century leatherbound volume resembling a ledger, with printed column headings and entry numbers, and cells for the recording of information separated by printed red lines, each cell subdivided by printed pale blue lines.¹ It contains a record of burials at St Mary's parish church, Shirehampton, begun by the incumbent in 1869 and ending in 1992, but separate from the parish Register of Burials (1813–1973; in three volumes).² Post-1869 entries in the Register are cross-referenced to the Church-Yard Book, and there are occasional references to the Register in the Church-Yard Book. It is distinctively different from the Register of Burials in that it contains systematized information about the location of the graves, the reuses of graves, and in many cases the depth of burial, some details of the family and other circumstances of the occupant, occasionally the cause of death, and a few other miscellaneous details about the person. It was conceived as an index to a map of the churchyard with numbered graveplots, also made in 1869, which was put on display in the vestry at the church in that year and whose present whereabouts are unknown. A tracing of this map is pasted into the back of the Church-Yard Book, and reproduced as Image 1 in this book. Most of the entries were made during the years before the First World War, with the flow tailing off as family plots became full and preferences about funerary practices changed, until the last burial took place in 1992 – an event noted in capital letters.

A number of surviving graveyard books were created in the Bristol area at roughly the same period. These are discussed below. One early event foreshadowing the opening of the Shirehampton book was the eastward expansion of the graveyard in 1860, which was made necessary by the extension of the church's north aisle into the available space. The conveyance by James Tanner of the land for the expansion,

¹ *Entry* throughout means a row of cells with a printed number as just described, i.e. representing a grave. Within each entry are recorded one or more individual burials.

² Bristol Archives [BrArch] P.St MS/R/4/a-c. The actual parish registers, in the “parish chest” (church safe), were rescued from the fire of 1928 by the then vicar, the Rev. Clement W. Dixon, police, firemen and volunteers (Thomas 1993a: 115–118). They are also on microfiche at the Archives; the scanned form of the originals is online via Ancestry.co.uk. Digital images of all of BrArch P.St MS/R/1/a (general register to 1812), P.St MS/R/2/a-e (baptisms from 1813) and P.St MS/R/3/a-d (marriages from 1813) have been made by FamilySearch, also available online. The Church-Yard Book is catalogued as *Shirehampton churchyard book, 1869–1992*.

along with supporting documents, can also be seen at Bristol Archives.³ But the need for such a book was made urgent by the retirement and departure in 1869 of Sarah Richards the sextoness, whose memory seems to have contained the only map of previous burials that the incumbent, the Rev. Arthur Mansfield, judged to be reliable. She died in 1878 and returned to the parish to be buried in grave 91.

A strong further motivation for the creation of the Church-Yard Book must have been the vicar's awareness that his flock was expanding.⁴ In 1864, works were authorized on the new dock at Avonmouth, within his parish. It was expected to open in 1871, though the event was delayed till 1877. The project led to the arrival of many navvies and their families to build the original dock and also the Bristol Port Railway and Pier which opened in 1865 to link the developing dock to an original terminus at Hotwells, adjacent to the Clifton pier of the Suspension Bridge. Also in 1865 came the first permanent housing on former farmland down on the Marsh, the nucleus of the present Avonmouth village. Before the end of the nineteenth century Shirehampton village itself had begun to expand, with new terraces of brick-built houses appearing in the Bradley Crescent area. This all led in due course to mounting pressure on the churchyard. Many burials of Avonmouth residents are recorded, the new village having no graveyard; the earliest of these have been picked out from the Shirehampton registers by previous transcribers and organized into a separate resource.⁵

The resulting Church-Yard Book that is transcribed here is intended as a blend of two things: (1) a permanent and orderly record of Sarah Richards's memorized knowledge, which was necessarily incomplete since burials might have been taking place since the sixteenth century (the earliest hard evidence being in 1683), and (2) a framework for the allocation of the not yet occupied (or reusable) graveplots in the churchyard, both as it existed in 1869 and in its eastward extension, the latter referred to in the book as the *plat* or *new ground*. The purposes and intentions of the work, the guidelines for the further use of the churchyard and the directions for the making of entries in the book are set out clearly by the Rev. Mansfield in his preamble (pp. 1–2), and are not duplicated here.

As originally printed the book allowed for 800 graves. 749 graveplots appear on the map (Image 1). Just how permanent and how orderly the record actually is can be judged from the transcript presented in this book. The manner of its use is set out below (pp. xx–xxvi).

The smooth implementation of the plan was interrupted by events beyond the vicar's control. The church burnt down in a disastrous fire in 1928, an event captured in a home movie by a local resident. It was replaced the following year by a much larger building on a different orientation. The new church covered some of the graves in the older part of the churchyard; those affected are listed in a notice on vellum written by local resident and internationally recognized calligrapher Irene Base, which is now displayed in the north aisle, and the graves in question are indicated by a red crayon

³ Conveyance: BrArch EP/A/22/StMS/2; petition, act, sentence and notice on consecration: EP/A/22/StMS/3a-b. The land, part of parcel 92b on the Tithe Award map (1841; BrArch EP/A/32/34, and available via Bristol Know Your Place, <https://maps.bristol.gov.uk/kyp/>), adjoins the alley linking High Street and Pembroke Road.

⁴ For an analysis of population changes in Shirehampton in the first half of the nineteenth century see Woods (1970).

⁵ BrArch NPM/B/159: Index to Avonmouth residents in burial register of St Mary's Church, Shirehampton, 1826–1902, two comb-bound volumes.

tick in the number column of the Church-Yard Book.⁶ Miss Base's list is indexed to the numbers in the Book. The diocesan architect Percival Hartland-Thomas prepared a version of the 1869 map showing the area affected by his new works,⁷ and that is also pasted into the back of the Church-Yard Book and reproduced here as Image 2. The gravestones that were disturbed were propped up against the external north wall of the new church, though I am not certain whether those that can be seen propped up there today are all and only those moved in 1929, or whether others have been moved there since. The reddened appearance of one of the stones suggests it may be a survivor of the 1928 fire, though its dedicatee (William Johnson, died 1828) is not one of those recorded by the nineteenth-century monument transcribers mentioned below – nor is he in the present Book.

The vicars during whose incumbencies entries were made in the Church-Yard Book are as follows (Thomas 1993a: 108–109):

1859–1880	Arthur Mansfield (who had been curate to the first vicar, Henry Samuel Sayce, from 1850–1859 ⁸)
1881–1884	Cyril William Holland
1884–1888	Charles Oswald Miles ⁹
1889–1905	Alfred James Harvey
1905–1912	Hector Alexander Powell ¹⁰
1912–1917	Harold Gibson MC
1917–1920	Harold Henry Matthew
1920–1949	Clement William Dixon
1949–1958	James Alan Lovejoy
1958–1972	John Stewart Smith
1972–2000	Fernley Rundle Symons

Some of their initials appear from time to time in the entries. It is clear that the handwriting represented in the book is often that of the incumbents, but some entries may have been made by others, presumably at the behest of the incumbent, or copied in from notes made for the incumbent's approval. Thomas (1993a: 110) mentions a number of curates of the later part of the period covered by the book, who may have

⁶ Those ticked in red are numbers 61–65, 70–72, 75–78, 99–103, 113–116, 133, 135, 141, 145–151, 164–180, 194–209, 223–238, 247–252 [252 with ?], 283–300, 316–330, 353–367, 391–403, 429–442, 468–479, 506–518, 545–556 [tick cancelled out in each case], 721–727. Black ticks are found against some blank entries and others, and some have black crosses; these symbols are unexplained.

⁷ This plan presumably accompanied the faculty for rebuilding, which is at BrArch P.St MS/ChW/3/o.

⁸ On the creation of the parish, see below.

⁹ A relative of the Miles family of King's Weston House, Henbury parish. His grandfather was Philip John Miles (1773–1845), the first Miles of King's Weston, who was also the grandfather of Philip Napier Miles (1865–1935), the last private owner.

¹⁰ A draft article by Ethel Thomas (1993b) about the embittered and litigious Rev. Powell, "The Reverend Hector Alexander Powell of Shirehampton", can be found at BrArch 42242/A/32. See also David Martyn's post mentioning Powell's "rival" Easter services after he was no longer vicar, <https://www.kwag.org.uk/2022/03/11/penpole-point-a-place-for-the-people/>, accessed 22 November 2022. If readers can find a copy, Powell's side of an awkward affair can be found in his (elusive, locally printed, self-published?) book *Recent persecution in the Church of England* (1914), advertised in the *Western Daily Press* of 7 November 1914.

been involved with keeping the record up to date, and at least one churchwarden has left his identifiable mark.¹¹

History of the ecclesiastical parish of Shirehampton

The history of Shirehampton can be traced back before the Norman Conquest, when it formed part of an estate called Stoke, the other part being the present Stoke Bishop (Taylor 1900; Higgins 2002: esp. 114–115). In about 793–796, King Offa of Mercia granted to (the church, ultimately cathedral at) Worcester the reversion of 60 hides (*manentes*) at Westbury on Trym and 10 (or 20) at Henbury, after the death of both himself and his son Ecgrith. Both died in 796 C.E. Although there are unclaritys about the immediate subsequent history of the estate (Higgins 2002: 107–108), the foundation of important future ecclesiastical arrangements was laid here. Henbury became the site of a palace of the bishop of Worcester, and the manor also belonged to the bishop; Westbury was an episcopal manor by the ninth century, and it became the site of a religious college.¹² The history of these arrangements is set out by Orme and Cannon (2010: part I).

Though it formed a significant part of the large parish of Westbury (one of three historic tithings, and one of fourteen ecclesiastical parishes into which Westbury was divided as it urbanized), Shirehampton was on the periphery of ecclesiastical economics, politics and practicalities, and it appears to have had no chapel of its own. It emerges by name (as simple *Hampton*) for the first time in the High Middle Ages.¹³ The tithing of Shirehampton was detached¹⁴ from the main body of Westbury parish by a sliver of the tithing of King's Weston in Henbury parish, now occupied by the inter-war Sea Mills housing estate (Orme and Cannon 2010: 10, and Fig. 1 on their p. 2). The reason for this detachment is not known. It may have to do with the allocation of coastal marshland resources (summer pasture, reeds for thatching, fishing, wildfowling) to the two parishes; it may have to do with access to and control of the ancient Shirehampton to Pill ferry (ceased in 1974), at the lowest crossing-point of the Avon.

We first hear of a chapel at Shirehampton in 1510.¹⁵ There is reason to believe that it was built in about 1469–1474, along with the tithe barn in the High Street at the western end of the old village. This was a moment when John Carpenter, bishop of Worcester, and the rich retired merchant William (II) Canynges, shared an interest in improving the status of Westbury parish. Carpenter was a Westbury-born man who showed signs of favour to his native turf, and Canynges had become a canon, and was later dean, of the Collegiate Church of Westbury. The latter was already a

¹¹ No information about any sextons appointed after Sarah Richards has come to hand, but two of her predecessors are in graves 95 and 206.

¹² These were valuable manors. In 1426 Henbury was worth over £60 a year and Stoke Bishop over £40, yielding together about £95,000 in today's money (Escheators' Accounts, The National Archives [TNA] E 153/872, membrane 2, in Holford and Dryburgh (2022: 158); Treasury inflation calculator).

¹³ Feudal Aids (1284), cited by Smith (1964: 132, misattributing the tithing to Henbury parish instead of Westbury). For a full analysis of the place-name and its history, and the possible episcopal significance of its name-change, see Coates (2015).

¹⁴ Its poor-rate returns were recorded separately, and its bounds were beaten separately; see e.g. Wilkins (1910, 1920).

¹⁵ Will of John Tillyng, proved 1511, TNA PROB11/16/376. For discussion of the date of foundation as proposed below, see Coates (2018).

church benefactor; he had founded a chapel at St Mary Redcliffe, where he chose to be buried after having a memorial set up at Westbury.¹⁶ It may be no coincidence that Shirehampton church is also dedicated to the Virgin Mary, but not too much should be read into this popular dedication, especially because it is not known from when it dates.¹⁷

The detail of the next two centuries of the chapel's history is obscure, lit by occasional faint gleams such as records of six baptisms there in 1575 "in the tyme of the plague at Westbury", and four weddings in 1595 (Wilkins 1912: 70 and 15). As well as emergency use for baptisms, its intended functions must have included alleviating the inconvenience of worshipping, baptizing, marrying and burying at the parish church in Westbury, some 2½ miles away as the crow flies. But what we know about explicitly is the desire of the Society of Merchant Venturers of Bristol to ensure spiritual support for sailors making use of the Hungrood anchorage in the Avon between Shirehampton and Ham Green, and of the landing-place near the site of the present Lamplighters pub.¹⁸

The Dissolution of the Monasteries occurred within barely half a century of the foundation of Shirehampton chapel. As part of the living of Westbury College and church, it must have fallen into the hands of the courtier Sir Ralph Sadleir (1507–1587), who notoriously did little to the benefit of his new acquisitions (Wilkins 1909; Thomas 1993a: 110; Orme and Cannon 2010: 104). A Baptist preacher in 1673 found the place "altogether destitute", and the door literally open to all and sundry to go there and preach to a congregation "very desirous of help" (Underhill 1847: 209).

Presumably as a consequence of neglect of the old chapel and of the estate in general by Sadleir and his successors, the Mallets and the Earl and Countess of Sandwich (Cooper 2017: ch. 5), a new chapel was built in 1727, and the earliest extant burial register (as part of a general register) dates from the same year. Burials had been taking place at St Mary's well before then, however. The evidence for this is found in tomb inscriptions recorded in the eighteenth century by Ralph Bigland, the earliest being from 1683 ("Here lyeth ..."), with others in 1703 and 1713 (Frith 1995: 1418).¹⁹ This building must be the one described by Bigland in the heading of the section on Shirehampton as a "small chapel consisting of a Nave, and Chancel and a Wooden turrett at the West-end, therein one Bell" (Frith 1995: 1417). It is not known whether the 1727 chapel directly replaced the earliest building, or whether other

¹⁶ This was later moved to St Mary Redcliffe. See the entries for both men in the *Oxford dictionary of national biography*: Haines (2004), Burgess (2004), <https://www.oxforddnb.com>.

¹⁷ In the early nineteenth century the dedication may have been to St Michael (Orme and Cannon 2010: 42, note 108). But the only contemporary claim I have seen to that effect is in Lewis's *Topographical dictionary* (1848: 85).

¹⁸ There are references in the papers of the Society of Merchant Venturers to providing funds for preaching to sailors at Shirehampton, starting with a letter from the Privy Council dated 5 October 1595 requiring the imposition of a levy on goods and wages: "a yeerely stipend to bee paid to a minister to say service at a Chappell in Sheirhampton neere Hungroade soe as the mariners bound to attend their shippes mighte bee edified and themselves neverthelesse not drawne from their Charge to the indangering of their shippes and goodes" (BrArch SMV/2/1/1/34, fo. 39, transcribed by Evan Jones). See also McGrath (1953: 107 and 111).

¹⁹ The earliest burials mentioned in the Church-Yard Book are dated 1765 and 1766 (graves 135 and 146). The identification of these clearly must derive from the sextoness's memory (aided by her predecessors') or memorial inscriptions.

rebuildings had intervened.²⁰ By the later eighteenth century things had stabilized, and divine service was celebrated in the chapel fortnightly (Rudder 1779: 803). The new one lasted till 1827, when another new chapel was built on the same site, and this building was extended or modified in various ways in 1860, 1889 and 1906,²¹ leading a later editor of Bigland (T. Fitzroy Fenwick?) to change his description in the body of the text (Frith 1995: 1420) to “Church consist[ing] of Nave, Transept, North Aisle and Chancel, Porch, Turret with two Bells”, without noticing the resultant contradiction with the heading.²² The status of a living was not attained till 1797 when the rector of St Peter’s in Bristol was allowed to hold it in plurality with Holy Trinity Westbury and Redland Chapel. Shirehampton was elevated to (ecclesiastical) parish status in 1844 (Thomas 1993a: 108–112). A civil parish based on it came into existence following the Local Government Act of 1894, one of whose effects was to rationalize parish boundaries, in this case resulting in the elimination of a detached portion of Westbury.

As the potential congregation expanded, a prefabricated mission church was established in West Town Road in 1885 (Thomas 1981: 42–43), removed after the bombing of West Town on 16/17 January 1941, and another temporary church, known as the Iron Church, was built in Avonmouth in 1882. A new parish of Avonmouth was established in 1917, where a permanent church dedicated to St Andrew was built, completed in 1935, wrecked by bombing during the same raid as the one which destroyed West Town, and subsequently rebuilt (Thomas 1981: 85–88).²³ From the early twentieth century till about 1950 there was a Mission Hall on the glebeland (named *Chapel Leaze*, and later, after parish status was attained, *Church Leaze*) opposite St Mary’s in Pembroke Road. This was sometimes known as the “Navvies’ Mission” (Hack 1998).

Disposal and commemoration of the dead of Shirehampton

Before the existence of a graveyard at Shirehampton (no doubt meaning before the consecration of the chapel of ease), the dead of the village must have been buried and/or commemorated at Holy Trinity, Westbury on Trym, the parish church about 2½ miles away; the incumbent there will have had the right to the fees for the burial of residents throughout his large parish. John Clement lived in Shirehampton and was buried at Westbury-on-Trym in 1648 (George and George 1988: xvi and 46), though his probate documentation assigns him wrongly to Henbury parish. A wall monument

²⁰ Isaac Taylor’s King’s Weston estate map of 1772 (BrArch 26570) shows a simple rectangular building on the same orientation as the modern (post-1928) building, i.e. with liturgical east not at due east, but it is not known whether this representation is stylized and conventional. No other pre-1827 depiction is known.

²¹ <http://www.churchcrawler.co.uk/shiremar.htm>, accessed 23 November 2022.

²² The faculty permitting the turret is BrArch P.St MS/ChW/3/i.

²³ It is not relevant to the question of burials, but note that following the liberalization of worship by various Acts of Parliament, other Christian places of worship have existed in Shirehampton parish (including the territory now belonging to Avonmouth) as follows: Methodist (x2), Baptist, Roman Catholic (x2), Congregationalist, Presbyterian and Evangelical (Thomas 1981: 89–93; 1993a: 136–151). The Congregationalists kept separate records; burial registers are at BrArch 39869/R/1, /2, but they had no burial ground of their own. One burial is recorded in the present book explicitly as taking place after a Dissenting funeral (grave 393); another (grave 426) is clearly implied. There is a Quaker burial ground in nearby Lawrence Weston with no known relevance for Shirehampton.

at the west end of the nave of Holy Trinity to James Lewis of Shirehampton, formerly owner of a slave-worked estate in Jamaica, who died in 1800, is late testimony to the continuation of such a practice, especially for the well-off and well-connected.²⁴

The essence of the system for burial of the dead in Shirehampton was, as was the English norm, based around what were in practice family graveplots. The incumbent was paid a fee for the burial, which was held to establish family entitlement to pay for future burials in the same plot. A few plots were for pauper burials paid for by the parish out of the rate whose collection was required by the various incarnations of the Poor Law. The Church-Yard Book reports a few burials “on the parish”, and it records a few instances of explicit permissions given by those with rights to a plot for burials of people outside their own family. Families with graves that were built over in the making of the north aisle and porch in 1865 and in the great rebuilding of 1929–30 were entitled to a free plot elsewhere in the churchyard. Some graves were opened and reused after a discreet lapse of time. Most burials reported appear to be those of Shirehampton residents, though some people who had gone away were interred in their family plots, and some people with no known connection to the place are also to be found, including some who were working locally, e.g. on construction projects, and some who had died at sea on ships bound for Bristol. These matters would benefit from more family history research. Not every burial is reported in the Church-Yard Book. ‘ABHBA’ (1890: 182) recorded a wall monument confirming the burial of Mary Yates in a vault here in 1799, but she does not appear.²⁵ The burials of, for example, Ernest Alexander Horton Lewis (1873), Mabel May Jenkins (1887), Gertrude Stocken (1893) and Fanny Fern Parsons (1908), all on stones recorded in the Shirehampton Local History Group’s churchyard survey (2009), the first two definitely young children, go unreported. A possible reason for some such cases is illustrated by Image 12, p126, where a woman called Rachel Keats (grave 594, the lower of two identical names) is recorded on the headstone but absent from the Book; she was buried at Gosport in 1931. It is especially striking that the General Register (1727–1812)²⁶ records the burial of two Black people, Modest Pullor (27 October 1799) and William Virgil (28 April 1783), but they do not appear in the Church-Yard Book even though others from the late eighteenth century do. The sextoness’s memory may be one factor in the Book’s silences, but, in the case of some of those mentioned, clearly not the only one. Right to the end of the Book’s use, some burials were unrecorded, for example that of Frank Howes (died 1952), who is mentioned on a piece of paper slipped into the Book at 576–580 (see Appendix, pp. 80–81).

Arno’s Vale, the first garden cemetery in Bristol, was established by Act of Parliament in 1837 as a means of alleviating overcrowding and insanitary conditions in the city centre parish graveyards. It accepted its first burial in 1839, and quickly became the most fashionable last resting-place in the Bristol area. It is unlikely that it drew many potential burials away from St Mary’s since Shirehampton was in Gloucestershire at the time, and was only fully incorporated into the city in 1904.

²⁴ The memorial inscription in Westbury is to “James Lewis Esquire, late of Shirehampton, formerly of the Island of Jamaica, died 20 June 1800 aged 81 years. He died sincerely lamented by his friends and regretted by the poor, to whom he was a benefactor ...”; the sentiments of the Black poor are not recorded. His estate, producing sugar and rum, was Lewisburgh in the parish of St Mary. (See also *Legacies of British Slavery*, <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/lbs/person/view/2146659689>, accessed frequently.)

²⁵ It cannot be assumed that all wall memorials confirm the local burial of the person commemorated.

²⁶ BrArch P.St MS/R/1/a.

As noted incidentally above, the pre-1928 church had some mural monuments inside bearing inscriptions, which were registered by two previous investigators. ‘Viator’ (1884) transcribed some in both the church and the churchyard (those he considered notable in some way), and some of these were re-examined by ‘ABHBA’ (1888–90), whose attention was confined to the nine in the church interior. An anonymous survey conducted in about 1979 recording the churchyard inscriptions also exists, and this was indexed to the Church-Yard Book grave numbers where that proved possible.²⁷ The recorder makes mention of a roughly concurrent survey by Bristol and Avon Family History Society. All the inscriptions in the churchyard that could still be read in 1979 were transcribed by the Society with a view to preserving their content before wear and tear or lichen growth obscured them permanently. References to these are folded into the Society’s online index of churchyard inscriptions in the former county of Avon.²⁸ The B&AFHS has also indexed the cemetery in St Mary’s Road (for the history of which see below), now also online.²⁹ The B&AFHS’s exercise was repeated by the Shirehampton Local History Group in 2009, essentially to review how far the deterioration had progressed. They made their own numbered sketch plan of the churchyard featuring memorials with inscriptions, and their indexes use their own numbers, not referenced to those in the Church-Yard Book.

A churchyard cross is marked on the second and third edition large-scale Ordnance Survey maps (1898–1943) near the north gate. Nothing more is known about it, and it is not there now. It seems to have eluded the local postcard photographers of the early twentieth century, though its stone base perhaps appears on the extreme left of Image 3, with a tree confusing its interpretation. Its base may be the “favourite stone seat” shown in a photo in Thomas (1993a: 131), though this may have embraced an ancient yew.

Pressure on St Mary’s churchyard had been growing, but eased when the parish council opened its new cemetery in what came to be called St Mary’s Road in 1898. This passed to Bristol Corporation when Shirehampton Parish Council was dissolved as a consequence of the Bristol Boundary Extension of 1904. Further adjacent land was purchased by the Corporation in 1907 and consecrated in 1912.³⁰ Burials continued at the churchyard, but presumably only when paid for in family plots as described above. Numbers declined steeply as the twentieth century progressed, and the last took place in 1992, fully 19 years after the last but one and eight more years after the last but two. The churchyard was formally closed to burials as late as 2010.³¹ There are no burials at St Andrew’s in Avonmouth, because of the high water-table in the former marshland; in fact Avonmouth has no cemetery at all.

²⁷ BrArch P.St MS/I/6/2, papers in a ring-binder.

²⁸ <https://bafhs.org.uk/databases/inscriptions-local/?v=79cba1185463>; also available at Bristol Archives. In this resource there is unfortunately some confusion between “Shirehampton”, i.e. the churchyard, and “Shirehampton cemetery” (see next footnote) as burial locations, most potentially confusing for burials after 1898. Users should beware of anachronisms.

²⁹ <https://bafhs.org.uk/databases/inscriptions-shirehampton/?v=79cba1185463>, first accessed 29 October 2018. I am grateful to Peter Newley for help with clarification of the relation between these two surveys.

³⁰ Material relating to the purchase, consecration and tithe rent charge of the land, as well as deeds relating to its transfer to the Corporation and the Corporation’s purchase of more land in 1905–12, can be found at BrArch BCC/D/CEM/3.

³¹ BrArch EP/A/22/StMS/12.

The only further physical and funerary changes at St Mary's have been the levelling of certain graves in 1951,³² and the setting aside of an area in the south-east of the churchyard for a Garden of Rest, i.e. a place where cremated remains could be interred. A faculty for this was acquired from the diocese of Bristol in 1960.³³ Memorial stones have been erected there on which the names of the people cremated have been inscribed.³⁴ Their names also appear in the Book of Remembrance by Irene Base, held inside the church (Thomas 2002: 124–126).³⁵

The dead of the First World War are commemorated by a separate memorial at the edge of Shirehampton Park, erected in 1921 on land just within the parish, donated by Philip Napier Miles, the owner of King's Weston House and hence of Shirehampton Park, which straddled the parish boundary. The inscriptions on this memorial are presented online by Westlake (2002b).³⁶ A further collection of information relating to them, and to Second World War casualties, by Steve Fell, can be viewed online.³⁷ There are no war graves at St Mary's, but the Commonwealth War Graves Commission maintains a few at the new cemetery in St Mary's Road, nine from the First World War and thirteen from the Second.³⁸ Other local war memorials include that to employees of the Imperial Smelting Corporation, formerly at the site of the works (Chubb 2006). After the final closure of the site in 2003, a replacement plaque was dedicated in 2006 at Avonmouth's parish church, St Andrew's. Avonmouth's own war dead are commemorated on a separate memorial there (Westlake 2002a). Three memorial brasses to those who died in the First World War were in the now demolished Congregational church at Avonmouth, and they are now in St Andrew's (Thomas 1981: 92).³⁹ The brass plaque commemorating those who died in the sinking of the HMT (SS) *Royal Edward* on 13 August 1915, once in the Mission to Seamen, Avonmouth (the Flying Angel), and now at the Royal Portbury Dock on the other side of the Avon, contains the name of one man from Shirehampton.⁴⁰ There is also a bronze general military memorial tablet in St Andrew's, originally placed by St Andrew's Soldiers' Home (Thomas 1989: 20).

The formal war memorial on the edge of Shirehampton Park is the focus of the annual November Remembrance Day commemoration, though in recent years the

³² BrArch P.St MS/ChW/3/a.

³³ BrArch P.St MS/ChW/3/e.

³⁴ Those whose remains were interred here before 1975 are listed in BrArch P.St MS/R/4/d. They include the well-known medieval and art historian and social worker Rotha Mary Clay (1878–1961), interred 3 March 1961; her tangible memorial was the audio system in the church.

³⁵ A "duplicate" (1952–2002), better called a rough copy, though even that would be rather flattering to its present state, is the notebook at BrArch P.St MS/I/13. Several superb illuminated works by Miss Base can be found on display in the church, including a missal completed in 1949.

³⁶ The memorial was honourably, and voluntarily, maintained by Louie Goffe (née Sansum) until her death in 1997. She received an MBE in 1995 for her devotion to the monument which carries the names of her two brothers, killed in the First World War (Thomas 2002: 132–133). At least two graves in the churchyard (214 and 411) bear the names of soldiers killed, but they are buried in Flanders and France (Westlake 2002b).

³⁷ Fell, Steve, compiler, <https://shirehamptonbookofremembrance.webs.com/>, accessed frequently. This website also lists the Shirehampton war dead who are not commemorated on any local memorial.

³⁸ <https://www.cwgc.org/visit-us/find-cemeteries-memorials/cemetery-details/38512/bristol-shirehampton-cemetery/>, accessed 15 November 2022.

³⁹ In the Ethel Thomas Collection (BrArch 42242/A/16, /A/53, /A/69, /Co/86 and /N/26), there is tetchy correspondence from the 1980s to 1990 about a proposed Book of Remembrance at St Andrew's, Avonmouth, which Mrs Thomas took as duplicating one presented by her to the International Seafarers' Centre. I do not know where either of these books is now.

⁴⁰ Fell, <https://shirehamptonbookofremembrance.webs.com/>.

Green has also been decorated for this event. An innovation in very recent years at the Green has been the introduction of artificial purple poppies to commemorate the animals that have died in wars. This is of particular significance at Shirehampton, since during the First World War the village was the site of one of Britain's largest Remount depots, or depots at which horses were broken and prepared for action at the western front in France (Nourse and Insole 2014; Wadsworth 2014: 40–45; Coates 2023).

In the civilian domain, nurse Barbara Chick, who died in a fire at the hospital in the Falkland Islands in 1984, was publicly honoured with a plaque at the Health Centre.⁴¹ There was also a memorial plaque for the four workers who died in a maintenance gantry collapse under the deck of the M5 Avon bridge in 1999; it was placed by family and workmates on one of the piers of the bridge close to the riverward end of West Town Road.⁴² In 2000 a plaque commemorating sailors who had died at sea was unveiled by the Merchant Navy Association at the building formerly housing the Flying Angel in Avonmouth.

Other “hard” memorials known from the village and its surroundings are in the form of stained-glass windows and artefacts at St Mary's church. They are not detailed here, though a notable one is the memorial west window commemorating by name the 99 servicemen who died in the two world wars (Image 8, p. 124), who are also commemorated elsewhere, as set out above. This window, by Geoffrey Robinson of Bell & Sons of Bristol, whose glass was formerly the east window, replaces one destroyed by the fire of 1928.⁴³ The new mural in the High Street opposite St Mary's, by Joe Westlake (November 2022), which depicts the Saturday cockle-seller Lilian Rees, might also be viewed as a memorial, but her death did not take place, and she is not buried, locally.⁴⁴ “Soft” memorials in the form of wayside shrines and periodically renewed floral tributes at or near the site of an accidental death may now also be found locally, as frequently nationwide.

The churchyard contains at least one tree explicitly intended as a memorial (a flowering cherry, to Marjorie Gabriel, died 1993; photo Coates 2021: 268), and also a varied complement of evergreen trees, including yew, holly, cypresses, monkey puzzle, ornamental pines and a redwood, with whatever generalized symbolic significance one may attach to them. An ancient yew was taken down in the early twentieth century (Thomas 1993a: 131–132), and a cedar blew down in a violent storm in 1990 (Thomas 2002: 187). One tree close by the north wall of the church presently carries a strikingly “pagan” burden of mistletoe.

Every burial represents a sad human story, of course, but from the perspective of 2023 it is impossible not to be moved by the number of children and young adults laid to rest in the churchyard, whether without comment or noted as due to “drinking bad water” (grave 442), or “fever”, as in the case of three children from the same family within a few days in 1864 (graves 296 and 297) – their father was a carrier (‘transporter of goods’), and may have brought typhus home from the Bristol epidemic of that year. A striking number of deaths on the railway and the Avonmouth

⁴¹ *London Fire Journal and British Fire History*, 22 September 2014, <http://londonfirejournal.blogspot.com/2014/09/hospital-fire-1984.html>, accessed 21 November 2022.

⁴² Photo by Chris Guy, <https://www.flickr.com/photos/pixelhut/27921365651>, accessed 21 November 2022.

⁴³ <http://www.churchcrawler.co.uk/shiremar.htm>, accessed 23 November 2022.

⁴⁴ Cork, Tristan (2022) Mission Mural. *Bristol Post* (17 November), 10–11. For the tradition of local cockle-selling, see Thomas (1993a: 196).

docks, or on ships at anchor, are noted from a time when labour and life itself were cheaper.⁴⁵ Perhaps most notable is grave 128, that of a suicide in 1860. Under long-standing canon law still in force after the Reformation, suicides of sound mind could not be buried in consecrated ground because the general form of the funeral service was not permitted to be read over them. The Burial Laws Amendment Act (1880) allowed the minister to use a service “consisting of prayers taken from the Book of Common Prayer and portions of Holy Scripture” in circumstances where the Burial Service in the BCP could not be used.⁴⁶ Such suicides were not granted full Church of England funerals till 2015. We do not know the Bristolian Joseph Mitchell’s state of mind, but the register entry says “Age unknown. Buried in the Churchyard without any Ceremony – having drowned himself”.

The textual context of the Church-Yard Book

A number of graveyard books were begun in the Bristol area in the mid-nineteenth century, though it is not known whether this was instigated by the Church authorities, proceeded by emulating a local example, or was begun independently on several occasions and for differing reasons. The Shirehampton Church-Yard Book appeared to be unusual in some respects, so a detailed comparison was conducted with other documents from local churches that seemed to offer similarities. The following potentially analogous documents in Bristol Archives were identified with the assistance of Archives staff. They are analysed here in chronological order of their earliest entry, which is not necessarily the same as the earliest burial, some of which could in principle be entered from memory, as in the case of the Shirehampton book. But none of those that have been compared record burials predating the earliest entry.

P.HT/I/4(a-b) *Holy Trinity, St Philip*. Two plain notebooks with stiff boards and leather spine; (a) is stamped “Canynge Cheap. Series”, with the inscription “List of Graves in Holy Trinity Churchyard Bristol Feby 19. 1832”. The dated entries begin in the 1830s and end in 1868. The books consist of a grave register organized by “rank”, i.e. row in the graveyard, then individual entries consisting of date, grave number, (sporadically, more consistently later) age, surname, given name(s), address and (sporadically) “ft.”, presumably indicating depth above the coffin. Entries occasionally indicate the presence of a stone. The entries are ordered by grave number, as at Shirehampton.

P.St MR/ChW/12/a *St Mary Redcliffe*. Sexton’s book. It consists of a large leatherbound ledger recording burials under the following headings: date, age, surname, given name(s), residence, grave (with a number presumably indicating depth in feet above the coffin), and brief details of funerary practices regarding bell, stones, coffin, prayers and mourning; then the cost, and finally other occasional notes that, with the passage of time, develop into precise indications of the location of the burial in St Mary’s churchyard. The listing is chronological, from 6 February 1825 to 26 February 1854, with two later

⁴⁵ For some striking details of earlier procedures and attitudes to safety on the railway, based on an incident at the Bristol end of the line serving Shirehampton, see Esbester (2021).

⁴⁶ Information from a background note to a private member’s motion at the General Synod of the Church of England (1972).

additions from 1873. The whole is preceded by an alphabetical index organized by initial letter of surname, though not alphabetically within each letter group.

P.HTW/I/9/a *Holy Trinity, Westbury on Trym*. Undertaker's register by the Westbury sexton, parish clerk and undertaker Brampton Underdown. It consists of a slim soft ledger presenting a chronological list of burials from 4 September 1880 to 28 August 1902, with details of the location of the grave, its construction, other occupants, depth to coffin and fee for the burial. The accompanying document P.HTW/I/9/b is a computer-generated fully alphabetical index by Edwin George (1996) of these 1346 burials.

P.St LB/ChW/32 (a-b) *St Luke's, Brislington*. (b) is a graveyard plan by E. W. Garner dated 1939, and (a) is a hardcover notebook in which grave numbers on the plan are linked with burials alphabetically by first letter of their surname (as with St Mary Redcliffe above). Pencilled in on unused pages within this index is an incomplete numerical scheme, up to 720, with surnames attached to particular graves. It is not immediately clear whether the incompleteness in the pencil index is due to unoccupied graveplots or to gaps in memory on the writer's part.

P.St PBed/I/4/1 *St Paul's, Bedminster*. Notebook with board covers and leather spine, supplied by Jefferies, Sons & Co., Bristol, with the inscription "St Paul's Bedminster. Record of graves – to be read in conjunction with scale plan drawn 25 October 1940". This wording is duplicated in red ink on the front cover. Most of the 483 entries consist of just a number accompanied by a surname. A few have more details about individual occupants. The scale plan is lacking.

Local but from beyond Bristol is:

P.Fr/I/4/1–3 *St John the Baptist, Frenchay*. /1 is a very fragile (early nineteenth-century?) notebook made of stitched pages, the few entries in which give the position of the grave by number and row, and the identity of the occupant. There are three more elaborate entries at the opposite end of the book (inverted). /2 is softbound notebook giving a few entries by row and number, plus name. /3 is similar but with stiffer boards and a little larger, with the entries supplemented by a few notes on the flyleaf about position and occupancy.

Bristol Archives also holds a few standalone graveyard plans, some of which are accompanied by name indexes. These include P.Hor/P/6 *Holy Trinity, Horfield* (plan only), P.PRg/I/6/a *Redland* (plan with surnames) and P.St MSB/P/3 *St Mary Magdalene, Stoke Bishop* (plan with private pew numbers and named graves; P.St MSB/P/6 is the same with additions and amendments of 1895, over the name of the architect Frederick Bligh Bond). From further beyond Bristol but also in Bristol Archives is P.IA/I/6/3 *St James the Less, Iron Acton* (an indexed plan).

The Shirehampton Church-Yard Book has particular affinities with the first three, but differs in some respects. None of the other three attempt to record burials prior to the beginning of the recording exercise, and none of them offer comparable amounts of information about relationships or personal circumstances. Shirehampton is founded on an actual plan or map, and the entries in the book index this; Holy Trinity,

St Philip [HTStP] is implicitly organized in this way, but requires verbal descriptions of grave locations, as does Redcliffe [StMR]. Shirehampton is more systematic than HTStP about noting the presence of grave markers. StMR is far more elaborate about funerary practices, and gives the burial fees, as does Holy Trinity Westbury [HTW]; as regards the fees, Shirehampton only indicates pauper burials and occasional non-payments. StMR has the feel of a checklist whose central purpose is to ensure and demonstrate that propriety has been observed around the burial. HTW is the undertaker's logbook (in superb and consistent copperplate handwriting) which, like StMR, gives details of the position of the grave in many cases, but not as the starting-point of the exercise. It could be fairly said that Shirehampton is focused on who is where and who relates to whom, if "focused" is an appropriate term for a document so lacking in systematicity in practice – it is really the grave number which provides its anchor. HTStP is nearest to this in spirit. StMR is a document founded on the sexton's perspective on due process – who was buried and what was done for them, with location more like an afterthought; and HTW on the undertaker's, with details of alignments of and repairs to the graves, and the fee paid. Shirehampton shares with only HTW an indication of the construction of the grave. Shirehampton, HTStP and HTW are archived as incumbents' documents, and StMR as churchwardens'.

The most striking difference among these Bristol-area documents is that Shirehampton was kept up for about 100 years, though documenting 200 in part, with vastly differing, and declining, density of entries after the opening of the new cemetery in 1898; HTStP covers about 35 years, StMR 29, with two late additions, and HTW 22.

In summary, we can conclude that Shirehampton Church-Yard Book is an unusual adjunct to the parish registers, which stands out by its longevity and historicity; its attempt, through its accompanying plan, to achieve orderliness in the graveyard by offering a literal map of past burials alongside a set of constraints on future burials as a substitute for a sexton's memory; and its humane attention to details of the lives of some of those buried. It may not be quite unique in every respect in the Bristol area, but as a unity it is strikingly out of the ordinary. It is trivially unique in that it is the only text of its type that is entered in a printed, formatted, book.

In the West of England beyond Bristol, to be compared are the following from Gloucestershire:

the hessian-covered notebook indexing the (lost) churchyard plan from St Matthew's, Cainscross (1837–1935).⁴⁷ Entries give the date of burial, name and age of 2382 persons, and the entry number in the burial register, with no personal details.

a bound notebook with an embossed cover inscription containing the churchyard register from St Peter's, Stanway, maintained 1878–1908, containing a list of names and numbers relating to those persons who have iron grave memorials, provided by the churchwardens when gravemounds were levelled and some stones laid flat; with page-references to the burial book, whose whereabouts are unknown (unless the register is meant).⁴⁸ 216 persons are included in number

⁴⁷ Gloucestershire Archives [GloucsArch] P68/CW/3/26.

⁴⁸ GloucsArch P308/CW/3/2. There is also a graveyard plan for this parish, GloucsArch P308/CW/3/1, but /2 is not a true index to it.

order (marker number > name > burial book), with some scrappy additions from 1899 onwards using a different format (year > name > burial book > a number + letter). Neither format gives personal details.

a board-covered book made of mottled blue paper containing numbered churchyard records from Upton St Leonards, maintained 1892–1973 (but with several pages cut out at the beginning), which in most cases gives the name of the person interred, the material of the grave, and its precise location relative to other graves, structures and churchyard features (e.g. “698 North side, nr. Drooping Ash”).⁴⁹ There are no personal details beyond indications of the family relationships of those sharing a grave. Much of the book also has an interesting duplicate numbering system indicating graves dug by individual gravediggers.

a large and exquisitely drafted churchyard plan from St Mary’s, Painswick, surveyed 1908–26, which gives numbers of memorials and grave plots, many also with names. The numbers on the plan refer to a manuscript book of inscriptions and particulars taken by Mr C. T. Davis in 1879, but the whereabouts of this are unknown.⁵⁰

Some such books are explicitly called sexton’s books or registers, and they generally contain bare details of name, date of burial, age and a description of the grave’s location. A typical Gloucestershire example is that from Minchinhampton (1824–86).⁵¹

Possibly to be compared also are the following from Somerset:

an alphabetical register of graves from Walcot St Swithin giving plot and row number, date of burial, size of grave, along with a plan of the old and new burial grounds from about 1818 onwards showing individual numbered plots; also plans of Lansdown Cemetery showing individual named plots, together with a card index providing details of each grave and a burial book (1955 onwards), held by the Church, though the Lansdown material is too late to offer direct comparability with the Bristol documents,⁵² as is that from St Mary’s, Walton in Gordano (1939–81).⁵³

In Wiltshire, we find accompanying the burial registers of Holy Trinity, Heywood, a churchyard “interment book” (1849–73), whose entries the Wiltshire and Swindon Archives catalogue describes as “uninformative, generally giving only names, dates, grave numbers and burial register entry numbers.”⁵⁴

All of these appear to be less substantial and more purely functional, more like logbooks, than the Shirehampton book, which is unique (at least in the West of England) in the amount of personal detail that it logs.

⁴⁹ GloucsArch P347/CW/3/18.

⁵⁰ GloucsArch P244/CW/3/3.

⁵¹ GloucsArch P217/IN/1/25.

⁵² Somerset Heritage Centre [SomHC] D/P/wal.sw/3/5.

⁵³ SomHC D/P/walt.g.m/3/5/1.

⁵⁴ Wiltshire and Swindon Archives PR/Heywood, Holy Trinity/2400/17.

The linguistic context

The nature and format of the entries in the Church-Yard Book offer little distinctive material for linguistic analysis. They are written in a close approximation to educated Standard English, with a very few unusual spellings, e.g. *neice* for *niece* (graves 281, 423, 641), and a small number of instances of non-standard number agreement, e.g. “N.B. no graves inserted as there is only 30 instead of 35” (graves 420, 422; see also 650, 650.A).

The onomastic context

Some surnames prove to be of particular interest, whether by language of origin, etymology or geographical distribution, and some of these can be found explained in the *Oxford dictionary of family names in Britain and Ireland* (Hanks, Coates and McClure 2016). Some surnames are inconsistently spelt in the document, e.g. *Ambler/Hambler*, *Hathrell/Hatherell*, *Larcomb/Larcombe*, *Flower/Flowers*, *Vowles/Vowels* – even occasionally in the same entry, e.g. *Pretty/Pritty* (grave 203); some of these differences may be of dialectological interest, whilst some simply show misunderstandings offering scope for amusement (*Quarterly* for *Quartley*, grave 409). Some appear to indicate recent migration, e.g. the north-eastern *Prudhoe* (grave 624). Occasional exotics noted include *Guidery* (grave 176), *Rouffignac* (grave 537) and *Stocqueler* (grave 659), as well as some Scandinavians with seaborne interests. Some other surname-related matters are dealt with by way of footnotes in the present work.

A number of streets, houses and other localities are mentioned by name in the Church-Yard Book. Most of them are located and explained etymologically in Coates (2019a), but some that may be unfamiliar and potentially misleading are also treated in footnotes in the present work. This table summarizes the relevant street-name changes:

Former or alternative name	Current name
The Avenue (previously Royal Avenue)	Pembroke Avenue
Back Lane (often simply the lane or the Lane)	Pembroke Road (east part) St Mary’s Road (west part)
The Bank (also formerly known as Bank Cottages or Lock’s Cottages)	cottages formerly on the south side of Lower High Street and now replaced
The Batch	The Green
Crown Terrace, West Town	destroyed 1941
Elder Villa[s], Avonmouth	Green Lane
Glass Street, West Town	destroyed 1941
Hungroad or Hung Road, an anchorage in the Avon, here usually meaning Hungroad Cottages on the riverbank near Myrtle Hall	cottages removed in the late 1930s

Lamplighters	in addition to the pub of that name, may refer to the entire hamlet at the river end of Station Road (as on large-scale Ordnance Survey maps around 1900)
Lower Village or Lower Shirehampton	Lower High Street
(the) Main Street (or simply the Street; on 1869 plan: Road)	High Street
Park Place	north end of Park Road
Portview Terrace, Avonmouth	Portview Road
The Terrace	The Parade and The Green (south side)
Victoria Buildings (or Terrace)	in Station Road (though NB one mention of Victoria Terrace at West Town (grave 731), now the site of Victoria Road)

The names of houses that are no longer current can be explored in Coates (2019a: 155–206).

Physical and organizational aspects of the book

The Church-Yard Book is a leatherbound ledger-type volume with a simple small blind-tooled pattern of abstract leaf-like design round the edges of both covers and an ornamental red rectangular panel pasted onto the front with the embossed title SHIREHAMPTON CHURCH – YARD BOOK, the letters being tooled in gold. The red panel is also edged with a gold tooled design. There is slight damage, a tear in the leather, to one corner both front and back. It has marbled endpapers. The book must have been a special commission to a required size, rather than one of a batch produced in commercially viable numbers, with the cover individualized for the parish. The defects and oddities mentioned below clearly testify to that.

The volume has 160 pre-printed trimmed foolscap pages (i.e. nominal 8" x 13"). The precise gatherings could not be determined; they may not all have the same number of bifolia, but 12 appears to be typical. The binding is tight. In two places the pages have been gathered in the wrong order; that containing entries 56–60 has been bound after 61–65 and 91–115 have been bound in the order 111–115, 106–110, 101–105, 96–100, 91–95. These errors have caused the vicar of the time to make marginal notes directing the reader to the correct place. The misplaced entries are presented in the correct sequence in the edited text. (Other errors made by recording individual burials in the wrong numbered entry, and then corrected, are explicitly noted at the appropriate place in the text. These become quite numerous over time.) These 160 leaves are followed by unnumbered originally blank leaves on which page numbers (Roman numerals) and manually drawn and numbered entries with five or six columns each have been inserted. Of these, the first VI are double-page spreads; VII to XLVII are individually numbered (though XXVI is duplicated in error), making 27 leaves altogether. With the pages devoted to the preamble and the last page of the index, each on the reverse of the endpapers, the total thickness of the book is 189 leaves, suitably trimmed. The Roman-numeralled leaves are printed

with pale blue lines as noted above, and the red lines have been ruled in manually – except for the single leaf bearing XII–XIII, which, oddly, are printed with headings like those of the main body of the text.

Each open double page has five entries, with a printed number appearing in the first column on the left page (see Images 17–19, pp. 128–129). The printed layout involves six columns whose contents are fully described below. The numbered boxes or cells for entries and the columns are printed red, and within each entry are four pale blue horizontal lines, allowing for the recording of five burials per entry. Each entry represents a grave, with the number indexing a grave marked on the 1869 plan. There are 800 available printed entries altogether, with the further 50 or so added manually, as noted above, after the completion of the sequence. These 50 are not all used, but those that are mainly take account of graves added after the original plan was made, and some offer corrections of errors. Another list gives those graves that were covered over by the extension to the north aisle in 1860 and therefore not represented on the 1869 plan.

The space of each numbered entry is subdivided by the printed lines. Burials are entered on a line, in general, but some are entered between entries previously made, and some entries are none too respectful of the prepared lines. The number of burials per entry, i.e. per grave, varies wildly. Some entries are blank; whether this is because the grave is unused or because the occupant has been forgotten is not always clear. Some entries have the word “Unknown” pencilled or inked in. For those entries with identified burials, the total can be up to eight (the brick-lined grave 281), or in the case of graves set aside for little children, many more: in the case of grave 470, a total of 17. The entries for graves 137 and 204 indicate an unknown number of such burials. For these reasons, the precise number of burials, as opposed to graves, recorded by the Church-Yard Book is uncertain; I estimate about 1635 ± 50 . The total number of burials will, of course, include many more unrecorded unknowns.

The entries on the pages after the printed sequence are followed by an index made cumulatively. Entries are organized by initial letter of the surname of the deceased, but unorganized thereafter. This unsatisfactory index has been replaced by one created by the editor, and this is fully introduced below (p. 133).

Transcription methodology

The content of the book is in a number of different hands. Differences between the hands have not been indicated in the transcription. Most can be associated with the incumbent at the date of any particular entry (see p. vii), though some are evidently in a different hand, perhaps that of a curate or parish clerk. If it is necessary to identify the hand definitely, the entry can be checked against the parish burial register,⁵⁵ which may sometimes solve the problem. Conveniently, a considerable number of register entries carry the number of the entry in the Church-Yard Book (see Image 20, p. 130), though rarely *vice versa* (graves 407, 677).

Some writers use superscript characters. In dates, the “th” of “24th” and the like are generally written “24th”. The editorial software used fortunately mimics this automatically. Writers generally place a dot or short line under the superscript material; the software does not do this, and it is omitted. “Mr” and “Mrs” are almost

⁵⁵ BrArch P.St MS/P/6/4(a-c), also accessible via Ancestry.co.uk.

always “M^r” and “M^{rs}”; the superscription has been done manually in these cases, and any dot or short line underneath omitted. Any material bracketed together in the manuscript is shown using curly brackets – { or }, but note that the brackets in the text as edited are not necessarily contiguous, for reasons clarified below (p. xxiii).

Some entries have been changed or added to, sometimes in the same hand, sometimes different. It is hard to be sure in some cases whether an error has been made in the act of writing and immediately corrected, or whether the change has been made later. What I have perceived as immediate self-corrections have been ignored, but where I had any doubt at all about the timing I have noted the correction in the transcription, on the grounds that it may have significance even if I cannot recover it. I have probably erred on the side of inclusion.

Some entries were originally made in pencil, and have been overwritten in ink, generally reproducing and making permanent the pencilled material. The original pencil entries have been ignored in such cases. Pencilled material that does not correspond to any overwriting material has been deciphered where possible and included here, unless it appears elsewhere in the completed entry; no use has been made of modern technologies such as ultra-violet illumination to recover the underlying material, as no value was apparent in doing this. Pencilled entries that have not been overwritten and not crossed out or erased (especially for example “Unknown”) have been retained and indicated as such.

Some entries have been altered by the insertion of a new name above or between those already entered. As mentioned above, not all entries are written precisely on one of the five printed lines within each box, but where I could be reasonably confident that a new name has been inserted in this way after the one below it had been written in I have put [*interlined*] by that name. There are some cases where the writer has recorded burials in proper sequence but not all perched on lines; where this appeared to be deliberate, I have not treated any of them as interlinear.

Some entries have been changed radically. Some material has been erased. Where it appears of possible significance, any such material still legible has been included and noted as [*erased*]; where a major erasure has taken place with indecipherable results, it is noted as [*erasure*], though smaller instances have been ignored. Where still legible, however effected, deletions (as opposed to erasures) have been indicated by a horizontal strikethrough, thus: ~~Jones~~. Where an entry, or part of one, has been cancelled with or without erasures or deletions, this is normally done by a pencil or ink saltire or X-style cross, and is referred to, according to space considerations, as a crossing-out or -through, or Xing-out.

Some entries overlap the edges of the boxes provided in the printed ledger. These misfits have been silently allocated to the relevant box.

In this volume, the material has been arranged into a table with cells or boxes to suggest the form of the original document, but without reproducing it precisely. Despite the detail in the policies as regards content described above, this book is not intended to approximate to a facsimile as regards layout. (For samples of the original, see Images 17–19.) Some handwritten material has been squeezed into its box in typographically inconvenient ways. Where material has been added above a line and indicated by one or more carets, this has been shown in the text, thus: ^Jones^. Where this has been done without a caret, the material has been silently entered in the intended place. Quite often a line of writing is extended by continuing above the line in question. Where this is done, the continuation material is silently reorganized in the more conventional way. The overriding consideration has been the convenience

of the reader. Sometimes material not directly relevant to the occupant of the grave is included in the “Remarks” box in ways which would impair readability if reproduced as on the written page. Any such material has been separated out and positioned, still within the appropriate box, sometimes above, sometimes below the personal material. Metatextuals, here meaning indications in the writer’s hand about how to deal with bad numbering due to incorrect binding and similar hints to the reader about the reading process such as cross-referencing (including imperatives beginning “Insert ...”), are printed in *italic*. Material inserted by the writer that is of direct relevance to the person buried or the burial itself, e.g. about family relationships or permission for reuse of the grave, is printed conventionally in roman.

Arranging the material for the reader’s convenience is occasionally disruptive of the text on the page in other ways. Every effort has been made to confine all information about a deceased person to one or more lines distinct from that/those for all other burials in the same grave. When this is done, material bracketed together can become separated. I hope it is always clear nevertheless which material needs to be read together. A long and expanded text in the “Remarks” (column 6) accompanying one burial can result in a wide gap before the material for the next burial in columns 2–5, even where in the Church-Yard Book itself one name in column 2 may be written directly below another and the two bracketed together.

I cannot always be sure whether in some hands certain letters are intended to be capitals or not, especially <m> and <s>, and an alternative view is quite often possible. The usual remarks about confusability of certain letters apply, and occasionally alternative readings are offered. Earlier contributors to the book tend to capitalize Nouns, and occasionally adjectives, in Eighteenth-Century Fashion.

The editor has intruded in various visible ways. Illegible or blotted characters are indicated in square brackets, thus: Jo[xx]s, and a larger stretch of material unreadable for any reason except erasure or deletion is shown as [*obliterated*] or [*illegible*] as necessary. Questionable readings are shown with appropriate punctuation, thus: Jo[n?]es, with the question mark(s) after the relevant character(s) or as a triple after a whole word or name: Mans [???]. Where a reading of a name that is problematic in itself can be verified by cross-referencing within the text or by reference to other documents such as the parish register, a census return or a probate record, the verified reading has been silently incorporated, but with a footnote comment if it raises interesting questions. I have exercised some charity if an ordinary vocabulary word is not clear but the writer’s intention is obvious in context. Clearly written demonstrable errors are indicated by [*sic*]. Note this editorial use of italic, in addition to the italic for metatextuals mentioned above.

The software used to make the table did not permit the inclusion of anything except the entry number in column 1. Since there is sometimes additional material in this column, I have included this in column 2 after the characters <<, sometimes above, sometimes below the personal material according roughly to its actual position in the box in column 1.

Some of the writers, especially the originator of the document, the Rev. Arthur Mansfield, punctuate in unusual ways. Mansfield defaults to a dash where other writers (and English teachers and style manuals) would prefer commas and full stops, as shown in his Preamble, which is transcribed exactly as found to illustrate his practice. This has led me to ignore, throughout the core material in the document, the final punctuation mark in any box of any entry, if there is one; I do not think any significant information has been lost in doing this. I do not guarantee accurate

recognition of full stops as distinct from ink spray, and I may have made occasional mistakes in distinguishing intended but hastily written commas from full stops.

The issues in the last paragraph have ramifications for the presentation of material in the “Remarks” in column 6. Almost without exception, the remarks consist, as a minimum, of the deceased person’s age and, in later entries, their (street) address. The formula for age is almost invariably “aged X years/months/days”, occasionally “hours”. To save space, the words “aged” and “years” in this formula have been omitted. Because this may sometimes result in two numerals occurring adjacent to each other, or ambiguity where an age precedes a street-name, the following conventions have been adopted, very occasionally in defiance of the text:

2, 2 Pembroke Road gives an age in years followed by a full street address

2 Pembroke Road is a full street address (rare full stop after numeral is omitted)

2, Pembroke Road is an age followed by a street address without a house number where the writer has terminated the age with a comma (or a dash, or a full stop; substituted as necessary) – note that this style *never* means ‘number 2 Pembroke Road’

2 Pembroke Road is an age followed by a street address without a house number where the writer has terminated the age without a comma or any other punctuation mark; i.e. at least a triple space is used to separate the elements by as far as seems warranted for clarity’s sake

At least a triple space is also used to separate an unpunctuated age from other personal material, thus:

67 Wife of the above

The editor acknowledges that these distinctions may sometimes cause optical difficulty for the reader.

The system adopted by the incumbent in 1869 was clearly intended to achieve records in a standard format. However, sometimes the recorder of a later burial has chosen to reverse the general order of the elements, with the address or other material before the age, thus:

Pembroke Road 2

with or without a punctuation mark after the address. In such cases the numeral separated by at least a triple space *always* represents the age of the deceased person, and “years” is omitted in line with general editorial policy. Occasionally also the surname of the person buried precedes their given name, in defiance of the original and general practice.

Column 2 indicates the date of burial, not date of death, which is only once given elsewhere in the entry (a late burial in grave 598); this is in line with long-standing Christian priorities. The styles used by different writers to write dates illustrates as many different styles as are available in English usage. I have tried to reproduce them faithfully, if with occasional exasperation.

Columns 3 and 4 have also presented some minor problems. The printed ledger has as the heading of column 3 “Where Buried”, which has sometimes been altered manually to “When”, especially in the earlier part of book. I have not indicated this change where it occurs. It is redundant to do so in view of what is written in this column, invariably a date, and the more so since the entry number in column 1 indexes the number of the grave as it appears on the map or plan included in the ledger (Image 1), which addresses the question of Where. Column 4 is headed “Depth above Coffin”, i.e. showing how much, if any, usable and decent space is left above the burial in question. The column is divided into two sub-columns, for feet and inches, but some writers insert “ft” and “in” at the head of these sub-columns, and some also, rarely and inconsistently, in individual burial entries. There are occasional anomalous instances of a burial seemingly deeper than an earlier one (e.g. 430). The only other material found in column 4 is the indication “Full”, or a functional equivalent, e.g. “Room for 1 more”, “Closed”; however, such warnings about further use can also be found distributed randomly in other columns, especially 5. Words such as *full* and *closed* are often, but not always, written obliquely and underlined, in whichever column they appear. Such information is, of course, not supplied for burials made before the Church-Yard Book was begun but recorded in it from memory (leading occasionally to entries out of chronological order, e.g. in grave 229), and it is by no means consistent later. In this edition, the contents of column 4 have been detached from the main text for typographical reasons and appear separately on pp. 82–111. Column 5 describes the nature of the grave in a single word, usually *earth*, but occasionally *brick* for some better-heeled corpses, and more rarely still a *vault* for the local gentlefolk, which may occupy more than one numbered graveplot. Some notes on the nature and position of grave markers are included here. Much use is made in all columns of *ditto*, *do*, and “ to indicate repetition of wording of the previous burial, and, very rarely, repetition from the previous entry. Occasionally a horizontal line performs the same function. These shortcuts appear with increasing frequency with the passage of time.

The typical contents of column 6, “Remarks”, age and abode, have already been mentioned. This column also contains, for some entries, various unsystematic contextual details that are likely to supply the greatest general interest to readers, such as the occupation, family links, unusual exploits, and circumstances of the death of the deceased person, as well as occasional intimate details such as “blind” or “imbecile”. Occupations recorded in the entries for those who were not gentry are typically farmer (8), and (perhaps more surprisingly) navvy (11), publican and beer shop keeper (7) and skilled craftsman (e.g. carpenter (8), mason (6, though some are probably Masons)). Five gardeners to the gentry make an appearance, as do a very few shopkeepers or small traders (e.g. baker, fly proprietor). However any such indications are quite random and sparse. Some information of these types also appear in editorial footnotes based on other sources; the result in these is egalitarian, being slanted towards more prosperous or well-connected men, but that reflects the availability of the recorded evidence. There are nine instances of what could be called industrial accidents, three incidents resulting in death by fire (one of which took place at the Powder House or gunpowder store and killed two) and eleven in death by drowning. One instance each occurs of a manslaughter and a suicide, and one of an accidental shooting. There are occasional burials of bodies of unknown people washed up in the Avon, or parts of them, but sometimes the name of the deceased local person does not appear even where it might be expected to be known

(for example graves 156, 394, 399, 402); in one case even their sex is not specified (grave 394).

Some related graves are editorially cross-referenced, but it is beyond the remit of this edition to do systematically by footnotes what an index or search function (or indeed a family historian) can do better.

It can safely be said that as the decades progressed entries were made with decreasing regard to completeness, legibility, formatting and consistency, except that greater detail about the deceased person's street address becomes normal. There are several instances of considerable carelessness requiring correction, for instance at graves 43–46, 329–335 and especially 411–422 plus 422.A–422.C. It appears that a parochial duty which started as a useful collective memory aid when Shirehampton had just ceased to be a close and slow-changing community became in the end a bureaucratic chore, or a duty not easily remembered after the burial as the frequency of the event diminished.

Accompanying documents

There are some loose papers inserted into the Church-Yard Book. For the sake of completeness about the document as archived, these are fully transcribed in the Appendix (pp. 79–81), and their placement is cross-referenced in the main text.

Typography: Calibri and Cambria

In the edited text that follows, material in Calibri, a sans-serif font, represents the wording written in the Church-Yard Book itself. Commentary and other editorial contributions are in Cambria both within the main text in [square brackets] and in the footnotes.

Richard Coates
Shirehampton, 28 June 2023

IMAGES

All images referred to in the text are placed before the Index at the end of the book, on pages 119–131.

- 1: The tracing of the churchyard plan of 1869 pasted into the Church-Yard Book
- 2: The churchyard plan as revised by Percival Hartland-Thomas (1928), also pasted into the Church-Yard Book
- 3: Shirehampton chapel from the north-west, depicted shortly after the building was completed in 1827. Includes ancient hollow yew and railed monument to Capt. Shaw (see grave 71), now moved close to the north gate; Glebe Cottage extreme right. Centre bottom, the arms of Southwell of King's Weston House. Lithographic image on zinc by J. Willis, printed by Day and Haghe, print commissioned by the curate Rev. R. B. Cartwright. Downloaded from Bristol Know Your Place
- 4: Shirehampton chapel from the north-east, after its elevation to parish status and after some structural additions in the later 19th century including the vestry/chapel in the foreground and the spirelet. Postcard image downloaded from Bristol Know Your Place, supplied by Ken Edwards
- 5: St Mary's from the south at the time of the new memorial window (undated, after about 1920); Public Relations Office photo, downloaded from the catalogue entry of BrArch 40826/CHU/12/1
- 6: The modern church from the south in 2022
- 7: The churchyard in 2022, seen from the north-east
- 8: The memorial window at St Mary's (Ethel Thomas, BrArch 42242/A/15)
- 9: Chest tomb of the Seyer family at the western end of the churchyard (grave 9)
- 10: Church interior before 1928, showing some of the wall monuments (Public Relations Office photo, from catalogue entry of BrArch 40826/CHU/12/2); the tablet above the pulpit may be the memorial of Samuel Seyer (grave 9; and see Image 9)
- 11: The gravestone, over the Miles vault (grave 582), of John William Miles, briefly MP, died 1878, whose body was removed to Crickhowell
- 12: Gravestone of Elizabeth Keats (grave 594), died 1886, and of others not mentioned in the Church-Yard Book: two called Rachel Keats
- 13: Gravestone of H. G. Stocqueler (usually Gertrude Harriet, as in the Church-Yard Book; grave 659), died 1872
- 14: Detail of the monument of William Perry, "The Children's Friend" (grave 419), died 1882
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- 16: Grave marker of Pretty family members whose bodies lie under the new church (graves 202 and 203), in the nave of the new church
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- 20: Screenshot via Ancestry.co.uk of page 28 of the burial register of 1883–84, showing burials 217–224 indexed respectively to Church-Yard Book entries 633–635, 548, 650, 639, 395, unindexed
- 21: Memorials to those whose ashes are interred here

**[The Shirehampton Church-Yard Book
(Preamble by the Rev. Arthur Mansfield)]**

Shirehampton Churchyard

Book 1869.⁵⁶

This Book was provided, the Map, now hanging in the Vestry, drawn out, and the tracing attached to the Book – in the year 1869 –

The money to carry out the design was given by Miss Emma Collings of Shirehampton – The immediate occasion of registering the Graves was the resignation and departure from the Village of Sarah Richards for many years Sextoness of the Church and Churchyard – who was the only person left in Shirehampton that had much knowledge of the situation of the graves – It was felt that unless something were done before she left – much confusion must arise – As might be expected, many graves cannot be given any account of – and the fact that a large quantity of earth that had been thrown up in laying the foundation of the New Aisle – had not been removed – so that many graves were quite hidden increased the difficulty – and caused several omissions in the Map – It will be seen that graves omitted in the original Map have been filled in in the tracing and numbered after the grave immediately before it with a letter of the Alphabet subjoined * - The Alphabetical Index at the end of the Book will afford an easy means of discovering the situation of any person's grave by reference to the number in the Book, and on the Map – The graves omitted in the Map – are inserted after the regular numbers – and the Pages numbered – The piece of the Churchyard commencing where the Graves begin to run in an even row – is the new ground which was consecrated in the year 18[60 *added in pencil*] – Where only a figure is marked – is ~~the~~ new ground no grave had to the date of drawing the Map being [*sic*] dug but it was intended that each new grave as it [...]

* The rows of graves – numbered in the New Ground – ought to have been marked with allowance made for the increasing width of the Plat – for want of which several graves have to be filled in – at the end of each Row – Vide⁵⁷ 385

⁵⁶ Begins on the verso of the front endpaper.

⁵⁷ Latin for 'see', also abbreviated to *V.* in the main text.

[...] is required should be dug in the spot indicated by a number – and entered in the Book against that number ----- After the lapse of 20 years from this date – should it be desirable to save the new ground from being too quickly filled up – there would be no risk run in burying in Graves in the Old ground that are not described in the Register as belonging to any family

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Directions for the filling ^up^ of this Book – so as to prevent future trouble and confusion –

1. After entering the Burial of any person in the Register of Burials, let the Minister, enter his ^or her^ name against the number of the grave he ^or she^ is buried in –
2. To enable him to do this regularly, let him instruct the Clerk or Sexton to give him the number of the grave – and the depth of Earth (remaining above the Coffin) – on a strip of paper after the Burial –
3. When a new grave is dug let the grave digger be compelled to keep to the line – as marked on the Map and to allow a regular space between the graves – as well as between the lines –
4. If the grave be that of a little child let the Head of the grave be on a line with all the other graves –
5. If it be a new grave – or if a person of a different name be buried with relations in an old grave let it be noted in the Index –
6. If permission is given for a Vault or Brick grave the space of two ^or more^ graves should be allowed unless it could be made in that of one grave – so as not to throw out the spaces numbered for new graves –
7. When the person buried, especially if it be in a new grave – bears a name common to several families in the Parish – it is desirable to make some note in the column of Remarks – to shew to which of the families, he or she belongs -
8. The depth of earth above the Coffin, must determine whether a grave may be used again – but when a grave is full – it might be well to state the same clearly in the Book –
9. New ground should be given, without the fee, to those who had Graves within the Space enclosed by the New Aisle – of whom a list is given – Page VII.

Arthur Mansfield

Perpetual Curate⁵⁸ - Shirehampton August 4th 1869 –

Cp. Notes page before Index.⁵⁹ [*pencil*]

⁵⁸ Mansfield's use of this term about himself is slightly curious, since the legal status of perpetual curate had been amended in 1838, and an incumbent who technically retained that rank was entitled from 1868 on to call himself a vicar (Macnamara 1898: 55).

⁵⁹ These further notes regarding the use of the book could be found in the manuscript before the original Index, and are printed here on p. 77.

Each page has a row of six headings as follows:

No. [Printed entry number]	Name	Where Buried [altered manually and inconsistently to When in earlier part of book]	Description of Grave [burial depth is given in column 4, omitted here]	Remarks
1	Alfred Jefferis	1869	Earth	Age of A. J. 18 months
2	George Davis	1859	Brick	Farmer Davis lived at Chapel House
	George Davis	1872		Son of above – aged 47
	Ann Jane Bryant Davis	1883		55
	Ann Jane Davis	1884		86
3	Edwin Jefferis Bryant	1867	Brick with flat Stone	Brother of M ^{rs} George Davis
	Martha Leonard Bryant	1869		Sister of above
4	Maria Lippiatt	1847	Earth	43
	Thomas Lippiatt	1850		57
5	Elizabeth Chaplin	1830	Earth	31 1 st wife of William
	Elizabeth Maria Chaplin	1846	with Head and	5
	William Chaplin	1857	foot Stone	61
	Mary Anne Chaplin	1877		72 2 nd wife of William
	Edward James Robinson	1878	Full	2 years 4 months, grandchild of above
6	William Chaplin	1835	Earth	73
	James Robinson	Dec. 17 1892		49, Bradley Crescent, Shirehampton
	Sarah Ann Robinson	July 14 1926 <u>full</u>		105 Bradley Crescent
7	Ruth Chaplin	1837		39
	Sarah Kingston	1846	Head & Foot	53
	Philip Kingston	1863	Stone	74
8	Jemima Davis	1863	Earth	52
				<i>The graves marked 8.A., 8.B., 8.C., 8.D., 8.E., 8.F. were inserted after this leaf, was finished See Pages. I, & II. at the end of this Book N.B. Between this Grave & No. 9 – is that of Thomas Taylor – not marked on the Map of the Churchyard – 1852</i>
9	Francis Seyer	1788	Vault	Infant
	Ann Seyer	1795		Infant
	Elizabeth Seyer	1819		63

	Samuel Seyer ⁶⁰ Mary Seyer	1831 1834		73 48
10	Edward Richard Scott Susanna Scott Thomas Adlam Scott John Scott Ellen Lydia Coleman	1831 1831 1837 1857 July 17 1887	Earth –	6 weeks 5 14 55 1 month
11	Michael Frederick Lee Sarson	1842	Earth Flat Stone with inscription on small marble tablet	3 months
12	Edward Sheriff - Catherine Sheriff - Mary Sheriff -	1830 1845 1855	Vault Flat Stone	73 85 81
13	Robert John Meares	1793	Flat Stone	15
14	Helena Willoughby	1842	Brick Flat Stone	76
15	Thomas Williams Right [<i>faint pencil</i>] Ann Williams Susan Coombs William Coombs	1846 1847 Febr. 14 1897 30 th Oct 1906	Earth " " "	80 father of David Williams 77 58, The Batch Shirehampton 62
16	Thomas Williams Thomas Williams Ann[e?] Williams	1828 1846 1847	Earth	90 80 77
17	A Sailor ⁶¹ David Williams Dorothy Williams David Henry Coombs Still-born child (female) of George Stanley } and Elsie Jane } Coombs	 1850 1871 1873 1932 February	Earth Head & foot Stone with Norwegian Inscription mostly illegible – 80	N.B. Between this Grave and No. 18 is that of Benjamin Prosser's wife Mary – not marked on the map of the Churchyard – buried 1842 – Benjamin Prosser – 1849 – <u>Vide</u> <u>17.A = P. II</u> David Williams 40 Dorothy – 80 – wife of above Grandaughter [<i>sic</i>] of above – aged 15 months ⁶²
18	<< <i>Altered to 17.(A.)</i> John Johnson Ann Johnson	1860 1864	Earth	53 – Sailer ⁶³ [<i>sic</i>] 49 – wife of above

⁶⁰ A schoolmaster who was one of the first to publish documents relating to the history of Bristol, in 1812 (Gray 1981: 74; Betty 2003: 13-22). See Image 9.

⁶¹ The sailor was Christen Nielsen Sandvigen (see also Frith 1995: 1418). For more on his gravestone and a translation of the inscription, see Coates (2019b; 2021: 106-108).

⁶² This is in Rev. Mansfield's hand, therefore not associated with the next burial.

⁶³ Possibly, less likely, *Tailer*.

				do not appear in the Register. A.M.
28	John Winter Martha Winter	1831 1888	Earth Flat Stone	70 92 of St Johns Road Clifton
29	Elizabeth Cook Mary Cook	1819 1822	Brick Flat Stone	Not entered in Register (?) 1849 92 <u>Vide. 29.A. P.II</u> N. B. Beyond this grave ^under the bushes^ & not marked is the Grave of Betty Wood Smith – an infant
30	Eleanor Edwards Elizabeth Edwards	1833 1864	Earth	19 81 – called ‘Nurse’ Edwards
31	John Hodges Martha Hodges	1850 1856	Earth	49 60
32	John Garritt	1848	Earth	51
33	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]		Earth	
34	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]		Earth	
35	Mary Anne Burton William Burton Jane Workman Henry Workman	1830 1847 1865 1886	Earth	2 22 33 55 Died at the Bristol general Hospital
36	Ann Hort John Hort John Hort Ann Hort ⁶⁵	1808 1820 1827 1844	Flat Stone	Age not specified 74 41 54
37	William Phillips Elizabeth Phillips Mary Grace Phillips	1834 Jan. 29 th 1894 May 29 1913	Earth Flat Stone	48 93, Clifton 87. Clifton
38	Sarah Emma Dowding Peter Dowding ⁶⁶ Mary Dowding Peter Dowding Elizabeth Dowding	1802 1802 1808 1844 1860	Vault Raised square Tomb with Entrance stone	84 73
39	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]		Earth	
40	Harriet Barton	1797	Head & foot stone	
41	James Burton William Burton	1849 1871	Earth	25 71 – father of above

⁶⁵ Many Horts apparently unconnected with these, some with curious histories, were later buried *en famille* at Arno’s Vale cemetery (Bambury 2011).

⁶⁶ The Dowding family were among the principal landowners in Shirehampton, and parish benefactors. Peter who died in 1844 (below) was deeply involved with the building of the new church in 1827. The family’s holdings are labelled *Dowting* or *Douting* on Isaac Taylor’s estate map of King’s Weston (1772).

	Fanny Burton	1878		77 widow of William Burton
42	Anna Elizabeth Scott Thomas Scott Hester Scott	1852 1854 1879	Earth	57 60 - Farmer Scott ⁶⁷ 80 widow of James Scott
43	<< [Altered to 46] Unknown		Earth	
44	<< [Altered to 43] Samuel Bird Ann Bird Mary Bird	1846 1850 1854	Earth Head & foot Stone	72 Died at Henbury 66 Died at Compton Greenfield 78 Died at King's Weston
45	<< [Altered to 44] Harriet Cook Jacob Cook Ann Cook	1801 1804 1844	Flat Stone	71
46	<< [Altered to 45] Ann Cook Harriet Cook	1812 1833	Head Stone	<i>These graves were misplaced – 43. 44. 45. 46. 14 32</i>
47	James Knox	1839	Head & foot Stone	54
48	Francis Greville Sealy Anna Maria Sealy	1835 1887	Flat Stone	13 74
49	<< <i>The next</i> [pencil] [blank]			
50	[blank]			
51	[blank]			
52	Susanna Allen	1800		58
53	[blank]			
54	[blank]			
55	Elizabeth Yeeles John Yeeles	1830 1841	Earth	37 49 <i>Turn over two Pages</i> ⁶⁸
56	Unknown		Earth [<i>faint pencil</i>]	
57	Margaret Pocock	1811	Flat Stone	29
58	Unknown		Earth [<i>faint pencil</i>]	
59	J [<i>illegible, faint pencil</i>]			
60	Jemima Fennell	1846	Earth Head & foot Stone	42 <i>3 Graves omitted here Vide. 60A. 60 B. 60 C. Pages II., & III.</i>

⁶⁷ Of Sunny Hill Farm.

⁶⁸ The pages have been incorrectly bound; 56-60 appear after 61-65.

				<i>Turn Back one Page</i>
61	Unknown		Vault	This vault is too near the Church to be opened
62	Unknown		Vault	This Vault is also too near the Porch to be opened
63	Unknown		Foot Stone <u>Closed</u>	
64	John Weare Elizabeth Ware Mary Ware	1858 1873 1879	Earth <u>Closed</u>	75 – Cowman 42 – daughter of above 80 – Widow of above
65	[blank]		<u>Closed</u>	No one known to be buried here (1869) <i>Turn over two pages</i>
66	[blank]		<u>Closed</u>	No one known to be buried here at this date 1869
67	[blank]		<u>Closed</u>	No one known to be buried here at this date 1869
68	[blank]		<u>Closed</u>	No one known to be buried here at this date 1869
69	Elizabeth Tothill Henry Thompson Dorcas Elizabeth Palmer Dorcas Palmer	1834 1834 1844 1844	Earth with Flat Stone <u>Closed</u>	27 3½ 20 months 30
70	Isaac Davis 55 years <i>[pencil]</i> John Davis <i>[interlined]</i> } 2 grandchildren <i>[pencil]</i> James Davis } Jess[e/- ie?] Davis Sarah Davis	1832 1844 1859 1863 1873	Earth <u>Closed</u>	45 Blind Sarah Davis's husband 7 weeks 1 month } Children of 4 months } William Davis - son of above 84 – Blind – N. B. This Grave is full.
71	Anne Shaw 2 infant sons Mary Shaw John Shaw ⁶⁹	1792 1794 1796	Vault with raised Tomb and Railings <u>Closed</u>	67 78 80 Harbour Master of Bristol
72	Unknown Herbert King	August 29 th 1887	Earth <u>Closed</u>	5 months

⁶⁹ For the life, naval and social exploits, and lengthy epitaph of Captain Shaw, Bristol harbourmaster, see Thomas (1993a: 80-85). His prominent obelisk-topped monument near the High Street churchyard gate is not in its original position, having been moved from near the north porch of the old church when the present church was built.

73	William Hookway		Earth with Head Stone <u>Closed</u>	The inscription is partly effaced The Register Book contains the follow ⁸ entries Ann Hookway St. George's Somerset ⁷⁰ 80. 1826 William Hookway --- 60 - 1817
74	Anne Miles Charles Miles Thomas Miles	1828 1854 1866	Earth Closed	32 28 79
75	Ann Palmer John Palmer Sarah Palmer	1841 1853 1853	Earth Closed	41 78 49
76	Edward Colston John Colston Sarah Colston Martha Jones	1833 1855 1862 Dec. 18. 1892	Earth with Head Stone	29 78 88 78. The Green, Shirehampton
77	Mary Pocock Helen Pocock Lawrence Pocock	April 9. 1898 Oct. 12. 1910 June 11 th 1925	Earth " "	43, Docks Office Avonmouth 50. Port View, " 75. Port View "
78	Frank Alfred Saunders Dorothy Annie Andrews	June 11 1898 May 15 th 1920	Earth A Fragment of a Head Stone at the head of it	12 Glass Street Shirehampton
79	Ann Silcocks Charles Silcocks	1792 1830	Raised Stone Closed	46 85 There are several Entries in the name of Silcocks in the Books ⁷¹ – besides these two [<i>erasure</i> ; <i>material also scored through</i>]
80	Samuel Smith Susannah Smith	June 12. 1898 Oct. 28. 1900	Earth " <u>Closed</u>	73, 33 Bradley Crescent 73, 33 Bradley Crescent
81	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]		Headstone illegible	

⁷⁰ Easton in Gordano, just across the Avon. *St George's* is a long-established alternative name for this Somerset parish.

⁷¹ The registers.

			Closed ⁷²	
82	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]		Closed	
83	William Barnes Elizabeth Barnes	1815 1816	Earth Small Headstone laid down in the path <u>Closed</u>	41 7
84	Unknown		A small diamond- shaped stone was laid down to mark this grave when the path was made	Closed
85	Sarah Purchas Sarah Coombes	1860 1865	Earth Head Stone	86 54
86	[<i>blank</i>]			There is a space here for a grave but it is not known that any one has been buried here
87	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]			
88	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]			
89	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]			
90	Henry Hurd Edward Snook <i><< 91 to 111 follow in reverse order [of pages, i.e. groups of 5, not entries] [pencil]</i> ⁷³	1870 1873	Earth	45 This man had been a few months in the Parish and had a grave else where but was buried here on the understanding that his friends should not claim the ground – A. M. A lad working on the Docks <i>Turn over 5 Pages</i>
91	George Richards Edwin Richards Ann Richards Sarah Richards	1831 1838 1849 1878	Earth Head & Foot Stone full	33 Husband of Sarah Richards Sextoness 12 25 78 – sextoness upwards of 30 years

⁷² In this page (81-85) is inserted a loose slip of greaseproof paper inscribed ANNE SHAW 1792 WIFE OR SISTER OF JOHN SHAW HARBOUR MASTER OF BRISTOL (see grave 71 and Appendix).

⁷³ The pages containing graves 91-115 have been incorrectly bound.

92	William Richards Ann Richards	1830 1863	Earth <u>Full</u>	72 99 – Known as 'Nancy Richards
93	Sarah Richards (2) Elizabeth Richards (1) William Richards William John Richards Julia Grace	1834 1834 1838 1860 1885	Grave Earth <u>Full</u>	30 } 3 } Burnt to death 4 1 day – son of John Richards of the Powder House 47 Sister of M ^{rs} G. Pritty, Landlay [sic]
94	Joyce Culverwell	1831	Earth <u>Full</u>	53
95	Frances Culverwell John Culverwell Sarah Prime	1848 1857 1867	Earth with Flat Stone in the Path <u>Full</u>	64 78 – For many years Clerk & Sexton 21 <i>Turn back</i>
96	Samuel Coombs Elizabeth Coombs	1857 1857	Earth	65 75
97	Sarah Palmer Mary Palmer William Henry Palmer	1855 1857 March 29 1892	Earth " "	49 Wife of William Palmer 16 92. Park Place Shirehampton
98	Eunice Williams Jane Yeeles Samuel Yeeles	1838 1842 1844	Earth	39 75 75
99	Edward Robe Mary Robe	1841 1847	Earth with Flat Stone	56 64
100	Sarah Sly Thomas Sly	1792 1832	Earth	[<i>erasure</i>] 85 This grave is full <i>Turn back</i>
101	John Smith Sarah Sly	1823 1845	Earth	18. Son of William Smith the Quarryman 58
102	William Smith	1847	Earth	47
103	Elizabeth Moore Winifred Williams Mark Williams Mark Thomas George Thomas Sarah Thomas	1810 1819 1822 1856 1857 1873	Brick Flat Stone	22 This grave is ^not yet (1869)^ full 51 68 28 69 85 widow of Above – grave full
104	Winifred Moore John Moore	1826 1861	Earth	20 53

105	Amelia Johnstone	1824	Earth With Head & Foot Stones	31 <i>Turn Back</i>
106	Alfred Grace ⁷⁴ Mary Ann Grace William Pretty	1852 1885 Dec' 1934	Earth Room for another	19 – Drowned while bathing 76 Mother of the above 73. Grandson " " "
107	Henry William Filer James Filer James Filer Kate Maria Howden	1857 1878 Jan 31. 1892 June 22d 1922	Earth With Head & foot Stone	14 of Fever 65 father of above 38, 13 Bradley Crescent 72 20 Priory Road
108	James Filer Edgar Gilbert Filer Mary Ann Filer	1852 1857 Feb. 21. 1892	Earth	5 months 10 of Fever 77, 13 Bradley Crescent
109	Elizabeth Susanna Weeks Jeronoma [sic] Matilda Weeks	1851 1865	Brick with Flat Stone in the Path	67 88
110	Hannah Childs Samuel Yeeles	1836 1872	Earth	38 43 Nephew of above – son of Samuel Yeeles of Shirehampton – a Sergeant in Grenadier guards – present at the Battle of Inkermann ⁷⁵ <i>Turn Back</i>
111	George Clark George Clark Mary Ann Clark	1833 1858 1881	Earth	2½ 59 83
112	John Bevan Thomas Green	1849 1853	Earth	44 11 months N. B. Between this Grave and the Bushes is the Grave of Thomas Green – Buried 1853 – Aged 11 months which is not marked on the Map
113	John Austin	1812	With Flat Stone	46 – Landlord of the 'George Inn'
114	Mary Jane Perryman	1860	Earth	8 years & 8 months
115	[blank]		Earth	<i>Turn over 5 pages for 116</i>
116	Unknown [pencil]			
117	James Davis	1861	Earth	55 – William Westby Pennefather was buried in 1849 – aged 53 years -

⁷⁴ Some papers are inserted loose into this page. For their content, see Appendix.

⁷⁵ Crimean War, 1854.

				and was disinterred by Faculty granted to his Widow and the Body removed to London ⁷⁶
118	Anne Rowley Mary Rowley William Rowley	1851 Jan. 14. 1899 26 th Mar: 1904	Earth Head & Foot Stone Earth	6 months 84, Hungroad Cottages 86: Hungroad Cottages
119	[blank]			
120	Jane Carter	1850	Earth	16 burnt to death
121	[blank]			
122	Susanna Hancock Susanna Miles	1823 1871	Earth Head Stone	80 87
123	William Norman	1823	Flat Stone on Path	13
124	Hannah [???] [entry erased]	1836	Earth	38
125	Thomas Yeeles Thomas Thompson Yeeles Sarah Basley	1830 1838 1876	Earth	70 11 – Son of Samuel Yeeles 73 – Sister of do.
126	Mary Yeeles Samuel Yeeles Hester Yeeles	1848 1876 1882	Earth	89 Wife of Thomas Yeeles 74 82 - Widow of the Above
127	Oliver Kendall James Kendall	1850 1866	Earth	5 weeks 72
128	Joseph Mitchell [overwriting [erased]]	1860	Earth	Age unknown – a Suicide
129	Sarah Mansel Sarah West	1842 1843	Earth	59 69
130	George Harvey	1851	Earth	25
131	Unknown [pencil]		Headstone	
132	Unknown [pencil]		Headstone	
133	Simon Harding	1788	Headstone	26 – There are other Names on the Headstone but too much defaced to be made out – The names of Susanna Harding and Francis Harding occur in the Register as Buried in 1796
134	[blank]		Headstone	
135	George Thomas	1766	Headstone	76

⁷⁶ W. W. Pennefather (about 1790?-1849) was a naval officer. His widow was the former Isabella or Elizabeth Harding or Harden of County Limerick (marriage licence recorded by Wikitree; alternatively in *Burke's landed gentry*).

136	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]			
137	Several still born children		Earth	
138	Anne Gilham	1854	Earth	38 – died on board the 'Lord Ashley' lying in Kingroad ⁷⁷
139	William Flower Mary Flower	1842 1847	Earth	70 72
140	George Flower Annie Selina Flower	1847 1862	Earth	21 son of John Flower 8 months child of Samuel Flower
141				This ground is believed to be unoccupied up to this date - 1869
142	George Jones George Jones Eleanor Jones	1824 1827 1824	Earth	38 77 72 N. B. These 3 Graves belong to the Jones' but which members of the family lie in the several graves is not known
143	Harriet Jones George Jones	1825 1827	Earth	5 Lawrence Weston 7
144	John Jones	1841	Earth	18
145	James Hobbs Sarah Fry	1829 1867	Earth	43 80
146	[<i>blank</i>]			The head stone marked to No. 146 has the name of Nicholas Johnson died 1765 aged – but this stone has been removed from its place - and it is believed that no grave has been dug here
147	Alfred George Stait Hannah Robbins Mark Robbins	1858 1870 Grave full	Earth	5 months 68 grandmother of above Grave full
148	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]		Vault	
149	John Hayman	1819	Earth Head & Foot Stone	42
150	William Heaven James Heaven Mary Ann Heaven	1853 1861 1867	Earth	2 years 9 months 3 14
151	Joseph Cooke George Wyatt Cooke	1839 1841	Earth	5 months 3 months

⁷⁷ Several ships named *Lord Ashley* after the social reformer were active around this period. Kingroad is the roadstead off Portishead and the mouth of the Avon.

152	Hester Watkins James Watkins	1827 1832	Earth	55 22
153	Elizabeth Jennett Eliza Jennett William Janet <i>[sic]</i>	1817 1832 1845	Earth	11 9 months 27
154	Hannah Carpenter	1817	Earth	56
155	Mark Painter William Painter <i>[faint pencil]</i>		Earth Diamond shaped stone in path	
156	E Painter's 1 st wife <i>[pencil]</i>		Earth Flat stone in path	
157	Millisent Alleyne Painter Charles James Painter Mary Anne Painter Edward Painter	1825 1830 1833 1856	Earth Head & Foot stone	10 5 46 80
158	Elizabeth Brock Benjamin Brock	1833 1834	Earth	7 months 32
159	<i>[erasures]</i>		Earth	
160	Thomas Brock Martha Brock	1837 1845	Earth	38 36
161	John Gilbert William Gilbert Honor Gilbert Sarah Gilbert	1818 1819 1848 1877	Earth	8 62 78 77 – grave full
162	William Gilbert Susanna Edwards George Edwards	1856 Jan 22 nd 1901 Febr. 24. 1903	Earth " "	49 Died of fever – worked on board the 'King David' ⁷⁸ 84, Park Hill Farm 86 " " "
163	James Curry	1855	Earth	73
164	Anne Storton John Storton	1855 1869	Earth Flat Stone in path	51 70
165	William Pullen	1855	Earth	33
166	Charles William Vowles Jane Vowles Emma Vowles William Vowles	1856 1865 1880 1882	Earth	1 day – of King's Weston 41 1 st wife of W. Vowles 54 2 nd wife of do. 61 – Husband of the Above
167	Thomas Howard Roberts	1857	Earth Large Head Stone	3 years 9 months – of the Light House
168	Elizabeth Ellen Pester	1856	Earth	26
169	Sarah Kempson	1857	Earth	74
170	Rachel Ford	1858	Earth	56 servant to M ^r Tuckett ⁷⁹

⁷⁸ Ship not identified. No such vessel in *Lloyd's register of shipping* for 1856.

⁷⁹ Of Myrtle Hall.

171	George Elliott	1859	Earth	9 weeks
172	John Haddon	1861	Earth	38
173	Anne Weeks Elizabeth Weeks	1861 1863	Earth	45 – of Hungroad died in the Infirmary from the effects of burns 36 – 2 nd wife ⁸⁰
174	Unknown [<i>faint pencil</i>]		Earth	
175	Elizabeth Please	1860	Earth	76 – N. B. The mound ought to be nearer the Church
176	Harriet Guidery [<i>interlined</i>] John Phillips Harriett Phillips	1859 1860 1868	Earth	35 69 The Tailor 77
177	George Smith	1868	Earth	3 months – a bastard child put to nurse in the Village
178	Mary Ann Onion Sarah Jane Cox Edward Cox Florence Mary Cox [<i>interlined</i>] Emma Cox Edward Cox	1858 1846 1848 1851 1851 1852	Earth	90 3 years 9 months 1 year 10 months 13 19 months 10 months
179	James Farr ⁸¹ Susanna Farr Sarah Farr James Farr	1859 1875 1871 May.7.1904	Earth Flat Stone " "	66 42 - Daughter-in-law of above 77 – Wife of do 75, Barrow Hill Farm
180	John Pullen Mary Pullen	1852 1875	Earth	59 Fly Proprietor 80 widow of above
181	Rhoda Perriman James Perriman James Perriman Ann Perriman	1830 1830 1859 1878	Earth Head & Foot Stone	38 N.B. the names of John Pullen and Jane Perriman are inscribed on the Head Stone 65 68 88
182	Jane Perriman William Trubshaw Louisa Perriman George Perriman	1837 1845 May 24. 1882 June 29. 1895	Earth Head & Foot Stone Earth "	81 28 66 Hampden House, ⁸² Shirehampton, 78
183	Ann Thomas	1823	Flat Stone	47 – of the 'George Inn'
184	Ann Pullin	1830	Earth	5 weeks child of Job Pullin

⁸⁰ Of whom is not stated.

⁸¹ The Farris were a farming family, at Barrow Hill Farm.

⁸² Probably Hampton House, Park Hill, which was run as a lodging-house.

	Sarah Pullin Job Pullin ⁸³ Elizabeth Hall Thomas George Hall Grave full	1879 1880 1918 1922		79 – wife of do 84 80. daughter of Job Pullin 83
185	Nathaniel Wade Elizabeth Wade	1870 1876	Brick Flat Stone	73 – Upledstone – Park St. Bristol 80 This Brick grave was made for M^r Nathaniel Wade of Bristol but he did not pay the Clergyman's fees – no one is buried in it up to this date – 1869
186	Betty Wade Thomas Wade Thomas Wade	1818 1821 1861	Brick Flat Stone	73 69 71 (Grave Full)
187	Mary Hopkins John Hopkins	1805 1807	Raised Tomb	75
188	Mark Painter William Edward Painter William Painter Susanna Painter	1844 1850 1851 1874	Earth Flat bevelled Stone	63 Butcher 36 son of above 11 months 89
189	Edward Hall	1880	Earth	56 – Killed by a fall from a wagon at Hort's Farm ⁸⁴
190	Mary Ellen Monkton ⁸⁵ [overwriting similar name]	1880	Earth	18 – died at Convalescent Home ⁸⁶ - her Mother lived at Bedminster no claim on ground for further burials
191	Unknown [pencil]			
192	John Dare John Dare Elizabeth Dare	1855 Feb.24.1892 March.12.1895	Earth " "	4 years 9 months 72, father of Above, Shirehampton 81. Park Rd Shirehampton
193	John Prescott Harris	1855	Earth	65 servant to Miss Shiercliffe ⁸⁷
194	Thomas Clark Alice Maria Sandell	1855 1855	Earth	67 14

⁸³ The Pullins were a farming family, at Avonmouth Farm.

⁸⁴ Battery Farm (1881 census), though Horts had previously farmed at Barrow Hill.

⁸⁵ Perhaps correctly *Monckton*, as in the Civil Registration Death Index for that year.

⁸⁶ This may be the "servants house" identified in the 1881 census near the foot of Park Hill, called "Woodbine cottage home". In this year it housed a matron and six teenage female inmates, mainly from Bristol. Hampton House next door was the residence of William Stephen Johns, a medical practitioner, so the convalescent home is a plausible identification. This house later became Minto House, since demolished and replaced by flats. (With thanks to Brian Hayward for most of this wording.)

⁸⁷ The surname is rare in the south, so presumably this is a relative of Edward Shiercliff (1727-98), circulating librarian and author of *The Bristol and Hotwell guide* (1789); abode unknown.

	Jane Clark Emily Matilda Sandell John Lemuel Sandell Emily Alice Hawkins	1856 1859 1864 1865	Flat Stone in path	70 14 5 years 10 months 14 months
195	Rachael Powell	1854	Earth	25
196	Mary Coles	1854	Brick Flat Marble Tomb inclosed in Railings	73
197	Richard Hicks James Guiney	1853 1870	Earth	76 17 N.B. This man [RH] had no relations, and his grave might be used again N.B. James Guiney was from Cardiff and was drowned in the River Avon – his father did not purchase any ground and does not claim any right in this grave
198	John Thomas Mary Wright	1853 1870	Earth	60 – Hostler at the George. He also had no relations and his grave is available f- Burial 44 – Wife of a Navy working at the Docks at Avonmouth
199	Unknown [<i>faint pencil</i>] Herman Larsen ⁸⁸	1886 Oct 8th	Earth	30 Died at the Hospital Avonmouth
200	Hannah Smith	1861	Earth Small head Stone with wooden Tablet	22
201	John Hedges Ann Hedges	1821 1834	Earth head & Foot Stone	68 78
202	George Pretty Fanny Pretty Maria Pretty Elizabeth Pritty	1852 1852 1853 Febr 16. 1899	Earth "	55 2 years 7 months 10 years 7 months 67, Rose Cottage, Shirehampton ⁸⁹

⁸⁸ A seaman from Brevik, Telemark, Norway (via Ancestry.co.uk). This hospital is marked as Port Sanitary Hospital (Infectious Diseases) on Ordnance Survey 25" maps around 1892-1900, and was removed during works to create the Royal Edward Dock (1907). Compare grave 274. There was also an isolation hospital in Shirehampton Park from 1902 to about 1906 (Coates 2021: 215-216).

⁸⁹ There was more than one house of this name in Shirehampton (Coates 2019: 192).

	<< 202 altered to 203 These 2 graves were entered in wrong order A.J.H.			
203	<< 203 altered to 202 Mary Ann Pullen Elizabeth Pritty Mary Ann Pritty	1855 Febr. 16, 1899 Dec 18 1923	Earth " "	20 Daughter of G. Pretty 67, Rose Cottage, Shirehampton 59 Bristol
204	Moses Kilmister ⁹⁰ Mary Kilmister	1840 1842	Earth	66 48 Several children were buried in this grave before their parents
205	Edwin Kilmister	1861	Earth	30
206	Betty Edwards William Neat William Webb Laura Webb	1845 1849 1855 1859	Earth	97 Sextoness 74 4½ – son of David Webb 7 months – daughter of Henry Webb
207	Robert Henry Webb Susanna Neat Robert David Webb	1861 1866 1866	Earth	2½ - son of David Webb 83 Grave full 1 year 8 months – son of David Webb
208	Ellen Barton Rosa Barton Ann Barton Charles Albert Barton Stride Charles Barton	1859 1845 Feb 24 th 1890 Nov. 17. 1890 Jan 12. 1898	Brick	6 years 11 months – Daughter of M ^r Cha's Barton 16 months 76 wife of M ^r C. Barton 6 weeks, son of M ^r Albert Stride, ⁹¹ Station Rd 83
209	Elizabeth Willington John Powell Willington Stephen Willington ⁹²	1829 1840 1841	Raised Tomb	53 3 69
210	Mary Willington Stephen Willington	1804 1813	Raised Tomb	73 78

⁹⁰ The Kilmisters were a farming family, at Bradley and latterly at T Farm, Avonmouth. Compare graves 205, 302, 314, 340. The surname (from Kidderminster, Worcestershire) is later found as *Kilminster*, and it is this form that is commemorated in Kilminster Road, Shirehampton.

⁹¹ Cousin of Jared Stride, the leading member of the well-known local family of housebuilders. Albert, from Somerset, had married Alice Barton of Shirehampton in 1878 (Coates 2021: 238-242). See also graves 650 and 538.C. Most if not all of the Strides were Methodists, and some are buried in Shirehampton cemetery, St Mary's Road.

⁹² The Willingtons were yeoman farmers who had other business interests in the 19th century such as the Lamplighters pub (of which Stephen son of this Stephen was proprietor at his death in 1846) and the Powder House (which a John kept). John Powell was son of John brother of Stephen of the Lamplighters. Mary was the wife of Stephen (d. 1813). Elizabeth was wife of Stephen (d. 1841). Later family members came to call themselves *Wellington*, and Wellington House opposite the Lamplighters carries their name. The situation is set out (though with some inaccuracies) in a letter of Nelson Frederick Wellington dated 25 April 1918, published online at <https://www.dalmura.com.au/genealogy/Willington/letter.htm>.

211	Edwin Flower Ann Flower	June 26. 1898 December 29 th 1911	Earth "	Eastville, Bristol 54 Westbury-on-Trym. Wife of the above. About 75.
212	Louisa Chalker	May 28 th 1898	Earth	17, Richmond Terrace Avonmouth
213	Florence Mary Birth Henry James Birth	May 5. 1898 August 17. 1909	Earth "	28, Park Hill Villas, Shirehampton 48, Penpole Avenue Shirehampton
214	Edward Collins Ann Collins George Collins Mary Anne Collins	1792 1816 22/9/19[3?]6 28 April 1965	Earth Head & Foot } Stone Sunk in grave} 18" deep Grave dug beside that of husband George Collins 214. Stone is being moved slightly towards High St to cover both graves	35 67 [<i>erasure</i>] 103
215	Ann Collins	1852	Earth	62
216	Bethia Turberville Edmund Turberville Anne Margaretta Turberville Eleanor Howard	1790 1802 1857 1864	Brick Raised Tomb	49 73 77 74
217	Mary Saunders	1810	Earth Flat stone in path	64
218	Lydia Osborne Harriet Seager ⁹³ Lydia Seager	1789 1821 1825	Brick Flat Stone in path	68 43 74
219	Eliz th Husbands Beccles Dayrell Elvira Smith Dayrell Mary Elvira Dayrell Thomas Dayrell Susanna Maud Cox Sarah Peirs Cox	1822 1823 1825 1844 1847 1854	Brick Raised Monument with Railings	12 March 22 nd 39 May 26 22 April 13 67 March 9 th 85 March 22 74 July 12 th
220	Harriet Butler Sarah Ann Richards	1880 1908	Earth Earth	52 (wife of M ^r Butler of Mary Church, Torquay – Sister to M ^r W. Richards – Gardener & Churchwarden 80 Glebe Cottage, Pembroke Road, Shirehampton

⁹³ The Seagers were local landowners. Compare grave 258.

221	Rebecca Smith Charles Newman	1860 Oct. 12. 1902	Earth "	79 82, West Town, Shirehampton
222	William Hancock Mary Ann Hancock <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ~~~~~</i> 222 A Sarah Jane Lait	1860 1871 July 23. 1898	Earth Earth	66 57 wife of above 67, Avonmouth Farm
223	Edward Bryant Ernest Bernard Tellefsen ⁹⁴	1859 August 27 1924	Raised Tomb with Marble Top	59 59
224	John Stuart Lewis Helen Lewis Thomas Baker Lewis Helen Elizabeth Lewis Grace Guest Lewis	1859 1878 1893 Dec. 12. 1899 18 th March 1902	Brick Raised Tomb with bevelled Top	75 82 – wife of widow of above 61 son of above 71, Byron Place, Clifton 67: Grave Full Railed in together [<i>with 225; written vertically</i>]
225	Walter Taylor Baker James Stuart Lewis Ernest Alexander Morton Lewis Donald Claude Morton Lewis James Lewis Charlotte Catherine Lewis	1861 1866 1873 1879 Nov 1 st 1887 Febr. 10. 1904	Brick Raised Tomb with bevelled top	66 1 year 3 months 10 weeks 15 months 60, of 10 Charlotte St- Bristol L.L.D. ⁹⁵ 95 Selhurst Rd South Norwood. S.W. ⁹⁶
226	Blanch Amelia Hill Peter Leddy	1859 Feb 21 st 1887	Earth –	4½ months of Sea Mills ⁹⁷ 40 of Avonmouth
227	Susanna Stephens Alice Daisy Thomas Edith Husher Emily Louise Husher Emily Louisa Husher << full <u>A.J.H.</u>	1859 1886 Apr 28 1887 May 8 1887 March 18. 1891	Earth – – – –	70 of Sea Mills 2 12 months 8 20 months
228	Elizabeth Sargeant William Sargeant	1859 1864	Earth	15 23
229	Henry Ambler 2 Emily Ambler 3 Elizabeth Hembler (Ambler (?) 1	1861 1864 1853	Earth	5 1 year 10 months 18 months
230	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]			

⁹⁴ Son of August (1820-92), a Cardiff shipbroker of Norwegian descent.

⁹⁵ L.L.D., Doctor of Laws.

⁹⁶ i.e. London S.W.

⁹⁷ At this date *Sea Mills* must mean Sea Mills Farm, as also in the next entry.

231	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]			
232	Charles Hack	1860	Earth	18 months
233	One Grave too many in Map			
234	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]			
235	Charles Hack William John Hack Sarah Hack	1845 1862 1892	Earth	33 19 75 Widow of the above C.H
236	George Sherard	1818	Raised Tomb with flat Top	49 A clergyman who died on his passage from Madeira ⁹⁸ Monument in Church
237	Julia Maria Babington Augusta Julia Babington Thomas Arthur Babington	1831 1833 4 Decr 1896	Brick Bevelled Coffin shaped Stone	13 37 76 who died at Clifton Grave will hold one more
238	William Williams Hewitt Mary Hewitt	1804 1863	Vault Raised Tomb with Railings	23 89
239	Sarah Bracey William Bracey Mary Jane Bracey	1859 1867 1867	Earth	66 Grave full 81 4 months
240	Elizabeth Gilbert Susie Ellen Hale << [<i>erasure</i>] <u>Gilbert</u> [<i>written vertically in column 1</i>]	Sept 10 th 1854 14/11/1925	Earth " room only for child	aged 13½ years Granddaughter of Herbert & Mrs Thurston Gingell of Park Hill <u>Farm</u>
241	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]		full	
242	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>] William James Shepstone	1884	Earth	17 hours M' Morgans, the Baker – his Mans [??] child
243	John Rees Mary Rees	1851 1853	Earth	74 69
244	William Smith Hannah Smith William Room	1845 1859 1887	Earth -	80 Schoolmaster 88 11 months (Brick Yard)
245	Sarah Ann Willcox Michael Willcox	1825 1830	Flat Stone in path	6 months 44
246	Thomas Sarjeant Robert Sarjeant Janet Sarjeant	1824 1836 1844	Flat Stone in path	68 44 82
247	Louisa King Eliza Jane King	1848 1854	Earth	6 months 17 weeks

⁹⁸ Madeira was occupied by Britain during the Napoleonic Wars from 1801-2 and 1807-14, and it remained a popular destination for those seeking to improve their health in the first part of the 19th century. The monument was transcribed by 'ABHBA' (1890: 182).

	Joseph King Eliza King Joseph King	1870 1875 1886	Flat bevelled stone – –	40 65 – mother of above 82
248	Charles Williams William Charles Williams William Williams Ann Williams	1846 1849 1871 1874	Earth [<i>erasure; material also crossed out: "This is Pool's grave" discernible</i>]	3} Children of William Williams 2} 64 – father of above 58 wife of above <u>V. 250</u>
249	Elizabeth Ann Slade George Slade Mary Slade	1852 1859 1859	Earth	12 49 59
250	Tom Poole Mary Ann Poole Alfred Poole Alfred Poole	1852 1860 1868 1870	Earth [<i>erasure; material also crossed out, then erased</i>]	<u>V. 248</u> 15 months 9 weeks 1 8 months
251	James Peck Ellen Isadore Peck Ann Peck (Stone S Side)	1850 1868 1891	Earth " "	38 24 85, Widow of the above
252	William Wallace Should be Wallis C.W.D. (Stone S. Side) << <u>Wallis</u>	1858	Earth	32
253	John Bracey Jane Bracey	1822 1833	Earth	60 85
254	William Bracey	1835	Earth	13
255	Edward Parker Mary Parker WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ~~~~~ << 256 A over 255 A William George Taylor George Charles Taylor Edith Esme Kidwell Richard William Taylor	1816 1818 March 23. 1898 April 23. 1902 May 21 1907 September 16 th 1908	Raised Tomb Earth " " "	43 42 Glass Street Shirehampton. 1 " " " " 20 months 39 Priory Road Shirehampton 9 months " " " " 3 weeks
256	Sarah Davis Sarah Christiana Phillips	1855 1868	Earth	90 73
257	Susannah Wilding	1853	Earth	80 A grave omitted Vide- 257-A Page III. [overwriting material including Louisa &

				William Curry were buried] ⁹⁹
258	Elizabeth Osborne Mary Seager	1846 1847	Flat Stone	69 67
259	[blank]			
260	Elizabeth Shapland Susan Shapland	1838 1846	Large Tomb in Railings	18 32
261	William Jones	1863	Earth	80 – of Lawrence Weston
262	Elizabeth Cullimore John Cullimore	1856 1867	Earth	58 lived at Hungroad 61
263	George Iles	1836	Earth	45 Grandfather of William Davis The Green Shirehampton Interest in this grave handed over by Sarah Ann Davis to her sister-in-law Lucy widow of William Davis April 5 th 1927 Signed Clement W. Dixon
264	Dinah Bissex	1853	Earth	50
265	Unknown [pencil]			
266	Unknown [pencil]			
267	Unknown [pencil]			
268	Robert Brown Emma Brown	Febr. 13. 1898 Dec 4 th 1915	Earth "	55, 6 Bradley Crescent 64, 21 Penpole Avenue
269	Susanna Boulton Robert Boulton William John Thatcher Harriet Thatcher	1846 1848 [altered to 9] 1858 July 26 1889	Earth	74 79 9 months 60 of Park Place
270	Sarah Sims	1832	Earth Head & Foot Stone laid down in the Path	66 <u>Inscription on Stone</u> ¹⁰⁰ When God ordains the fatal blow My heart may wish, the tears may flow But can't the Dead restore Yet comfort dawns from realms divine There souls their kindred souls shall join And meet to part no more.
271	Martha Stevens	1815	Earth	88

⁹⁹ See grave 285.

¹⁰⁰ The Rev. Mansfield was obviously much taken with this epitaph; it is the only one copied into the Church-Yard Book. It is found, with variants, on other stones nationwide between 1759 and 1844; the earliest one is in more or less exactly the form quoted here, on the grave of Mary Sutter (died 11 December 1759) at Islington parish church, Middlesex. It has been claimed to be taken from Samuel Boyce's *Consolatory verses to James Steere, Esq; Architect, on the death of his Lady* (1757). That is nearly true, but Boyce's opening lines are: "When heav'n directs the missive blow, /The heart may wish, the eye may flow ...".

	Hannah Edbrooke	1830		53
272	Catherine Edbrooke Robert Edbrooke	1849 1864	Earth	76 86
273	John Yerbury Mary Ann Yerbury Reginald Charles Jebb Charles William Jebb	1843 1848 1868 1905 May 24 th	Vault Large raised Tomb in Railings	74 73 16 90 20 Royal York Crescent
274	Mary Rex <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS COLUMNS 2-6 ~~~~~</i> << 274 ^A David Chidgey Hilda Chidgey Ann Marsh Chidgey (assumed) ¹⁰¹ << Next to 275 toward church [<i>pencil</i>] Ellen Victoria Chidgey	Dec.30.1897 Oct.17.1897 August 28.1898 January 17.1942 December 29.1973	Earth Earth " " --Full--	56, Sanitary Hospital, Avonmouth ¹⁰² 48 Glass Street Shirehampton 3 " " " 85 28 Bradley Avenue " 86 28 Bradley Avenue, "
275	Enoch Crosby Joseph Henry Heap	1864 Dec.26. 1897	Earth Head & foot Stone	21 Killed on board the 'G. H. Jenkins' ¹⁰³ lying in Kingroad – Headstone erected by the crew 48, Avonmouth
276	Robert John Cook Alfred Hughes	Jan. 26. 1898 July 20. 1902	Earth "	40, Avonmouth 28 (drowned) Clayton Street Avonmouth
277	George James [<i>overwriting</i> Unknown] George James Henry James Pointing Martha Ann Pointing << Re <u>Pointing</u>	Feb. 5 th 1898 Mar. 3 rd 1900 Sept 7 1944 Aug. 22 1951	Earth " Room for another Full	31, Avonmouth 3 years 21 months 22 Meadow St Avonmouth Son of the above 87 10 Green Lane Avonmouth
278	Elizabeth Lamput	1849	Earth Head & foot Stone	59 N.B. Head & foot Stones reversed
279	Maria Marsh	Jan.2.1898	Earth	54, Temperance Hall Shirehampton

¹⁰¹ The reason for "(assumed)" is unknown. Ann's burial is properly recorded in the parish register (via Ancestry.co.uk).

¹⁰² Compare grave 199.

¹⁰³ In the Register, *G. A. Jenkins*. Ship probably the barque *George H. Jenkins* of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, official no. 49409, registered 1864. E. C., who was born in Yarmouth in 1842 (via Ancestry.co.uk), "[f]ell from barque G. H. Jenkins while furling sail" (GloucsArch coroner's inquest file, CO1/1/10/D/2).

	←←279* WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ~~~~~ ←←279* Next to 280 on South David Chidgey	Oct.17.1897	Earth	48 Glass Street, Shirehampton [correctly at 274A]
280	John Drew Mary Drew	1850 1859	Flat bevelled Stone	77 69
281	Emma Eliza Sayce William Robert Flower Elizabeth Flower Diana Witts Markuson¹⁰⁴ Isabella Flower Saunders Isabella Witts Flower John Flower Mary Flower	1845 March 29.1894 June 14th 1906⁷ January 17th 1908 August 21st 1909 November 16 1914 August 11- 1920 May 11 1937	Brick Raised Bevelled Stone	This grave was given to me by the Rev. C. O. Miles in the year 1887 <u>John Flower</u>¹⁰⁵ 18 months Child of Rev^d. H. S. Sayce¹⁰⁶ Incumbent of Shirehampton 64, Penpole Lodge 83. Sister of John Flower 77 " " " " " 57 Neice [sic] " " " 76 Sister of John Flower 80 91
282	Elizabeth Dyer Hannah Dyer Thomas Dyer	1862 1862 1870	Earth	3 days 12 hours twin children of Dyer valet to Cruger Miles Esq^r ¹⁰⁷ 35 – father of above
283	Samuel George Hounsell Prudence Hounsell Emily Barton	1864 1864 1869	Earth	61 Churchwarden 52 21 Daughter of y^e [??] above
284	William John Phippen Joseph Dainton	1864 1870	Earth	11 months 28 – A navy – No fee paid
285	Louisa Curry Sarah Milsom Curry James Curry	1861 1870 1874	Earth	5 months – child of James Curry 30 mother of above

¹⁰⁴ May represent Swedish *Markusson* or Danish/Norwegian *Markussen*. See also grave 475.

¹⁰⁵ Parish clerk in the later nineteenth century (Thomas 1993a: 32).

¹⁰⁶ Vicar 1844-1859. Father also of the Rev. Archibald Henry Sayce (1845–1933), the first British professor of Assyriology, at Oxford, who was born in Shirehampton.

¹⁰⁷ See grave 582 and note.

286	Frederick Mark Shepherd James Cox	1861 August 15 th 1889	Earth –	10 weeks 66 of Hungroad late gardener to M ^r Tuckett ¹⁰⁸
287	Emma Richards Thomas Braddick	1861 1865	Earth	18 months - George Richards' child 55
288	Thomas Gibbs Charles Weeks Ada Annie Eggleton Daisy Eggleton	1861 1863 1886 Mar 21 1887	Earth –	27 10 days 6 weeks ^child of the Guard on the P. P. Ry ¹⁰⁹ - of Bradley Crescent 1 month do " "
289	John Scott Walter Scott Charles Henry Millard Taylor	1861 1865 1885	Earth –	33} 27} sons of Thomas Scott 4 weeks Avonmouth
290	Thomas Barton William Wilcox Henry Beard Emily Clara Evans	1861 1861 1864 May 29 th 1887	Earth	37} 27} 50 3 of Brickyard [T.B. and W.W.] Killed in a drain in the Marsh, where they were working by the earth falling in [H.B.] Killed on the Railway by the fall of a peice [sic] of timber
291	Sarah Jane Swete ¹¹⁰ John Swete Robert Dubur	1863 1870 1874	Earth	2 39 60 – 2 nd husband of M ^{rs} Swete
292	Harriett Hogbin	1863	Earth Head Stone	29
293	William King Marianne Richards William Richards	1864 1865 1906	Earth Tall Head Stone	34 46 { Brother & sister [<i>this word erased</i>] of { M ^r W. Richards - gardener { of Lamplighter's 90 Ex-Churchwarden of Shirehampton Church
294	Margaret Cox	1864	Earth	31 – Sister to M ^r Jones Clerk & Schoolmaster

¹⁰⁸ The Tucketts lived at Myrtle Hall, close to Hungroad Cottages.

¹⁰⁹ P. P. Ry = Port and Pier Railway, formally the Bristol Port Railway and Pier Co; compare graves 454 and 630.

¹¹⁰ In the parish registers, she and John are *Sweet*.

295	John Tapley Mortimer	1864	Earth	34 – Gardener to P.W.S. Miles ¹¹¹
296	Alice Dyer	1864	Earth	5
297	Thomas Henry Dyer Mary Dyer Mary Ann Hayman	1864 1864 1885	Earth – –	10 15 85 Grandmother of the above These 3 children of James Dyer. Carrier died of fever within a few days of each other. A second Grave was dug for the two buried last – to avoid opening the other so soon after an interment ¹¹²
298	Jane Harding	1864	Earth	9 Died of fever – daughter of a Navvy working on the Railroad
299	Mary Wilson	1864	Earth	43 Died at M ^{rs} Hancock's ¹¹³
300	Mary Ann Faux	1864	Earth	48
301	Annie Gibbons William Gibbons Hannah Gibbons	1864 1880 1886	Earth Earth –	8 months 63 father of above 61 Wife of above of Avonmouth
302	Ann Kilmister	1865	Earth	49 - Wife of Moses Kilmister
303	Mary Ann Adams George Jo[n?]es Adams John Herbert Thurston Gingell Ellen Thurston Gingell Grave full	1885 1871 1919. Dec 13 22/8/1933	Earth Head Stone	52 58 – husband of above 70 Park Hill Farm 85 1 Park Villas
304	Julia Thatcher Henry Robert Thatcher Annie Symons William John Thatcher Henry Simon	1865 1885 1886 Dec 19 1886 Dec 19 1886	Earth – – – –	13 18 Brother of the above 3 Grandchild of John Thatcher's 23 6 months <u>This grave is full</u>
305	Ann Rumbelow	1865	Earth	65
306	Anna Word	1865	Earth	29 - Wife of a groom at King's Weston
307	Mary Watts William Watts	1865 1892 March 6 th	Earth –	47 64 Husband of the above

¹¹¹ Philip William Skynner Miles (1816-81), of King's Weston House, banker and industrialist who promoted Avonmouth Docks; compare grave 582.

¹¹² James Dyer's grave is 329.

¹¹³ Lodging-house keeper, Hampton House, Park Hill (1861 census); see grave 222.

308	Samuel Wynes Pittman	1866	Earth	33 Employed on the Railway died at Hooper's Crossing ¹¹⁴
309	Isaac Tucker Priscilla Tucker	1866 1869	Earth	82 75
310	William Smith Louisa Smith	1862 1866	Earth	83 61 – Daughter of the above
311	Maria Neat Fanny Frances Neat Elizabeth Walker Robert Edwards Neat	1862 1892 March 27. '93 March 5. 1899	Earth – – –	45 – Wife of Robert Neat 55 – second wife of Robert Neat 43 [<i>altered to 42?</i>], 6 Somerset St. Bristol 77, 10 Bradley Crescent
312	Mary Green Adeline Caroline Green	1861 Sept. 26.1898	Tall Head & foot Stones of Slate	75 Mother of M ^{rs} Edwin Peck 72, Lamplighters
313	John Barton Tanner	1873	Earth	7 months – son of George Tanner
314	Alice Louisa Kilmister Henry Kilmister Florence Kilmister Emily Holloway Kiliminster [sic]	1871 1873 1877 1881	Earth – – –	11 months – child of William Kilmister 8 months ----- 9 – Do. - Do. 5 This grave is not capable of receiving the body of a full grown person – being contracted between two Brick Vaults
315	Arthur Barnard Margaret Mary Cox John Barnard Elizabeth Barnard	1882 1890 1893 1899	Earth – – –	(?) 23 son of M ^r William Barnard of Shirehampton 15 months child of M ^r Cox, Lamplighters Hotel 72, Lamplighters Hotel, Shirehampton 78, Lamplighters Hotel
316	Harriet Snelling	1870	Earth	Kept a young ladies' School f- many years at Shirehampton ¹¹⁵ – died in Bristol aged 87
317	Helen Baker	1866	Large Head Stone	50 Manager of Avonmouth Hotel

¹¹⁴ This was by the Marine Hotel (Hooper's Marine Hotel), Avonmouth.

¹¹⁵ Apparently in Station Road (1851 census).

318	Hannah Derrick William Derrick Edward Derrick	1867 1881 Jan.17.1898	Earth Flat Stone 1872- "	70 – Wife of M ^r J. Miles ¹¹⁶ Bailiff 81 60, Freeland Place, Clifton
319	Walter John Best	1867	Earth	28 – found dead in his bed at Stung's [???] – when they lived at Taylor's Farm house ¹¹⁷ – no friends
320	Lizzie Mary Patterson Lucy Frances Patterson	1867 1868	Earth	14} 14} twin daughters of M ^r Patterson who lodged several years at M ^s Hancock's ¹¹⁸
321	Mary Ann Crates	1868	Earth	38
322	Alfred Wilkins	1874	Earth	11, son of Thomas Wilkins
323	Alfred Edward Riches George Riches	1879 July 22 1898	Earth "	6 months son of George Riches 54, 19 Richmond Terrace, Avon th
324	Parsons, John Nora Shaw Amelia Parsons	1875 23 rd Sept: 1900 28 th Ap: 1901	Earth " "	39 – Ganger among the navvies 3 months. Grandchild of above 60: Widow of John Parsons, above
325	Rooms Alice Louisa – Rooms Arthur James Hinge John	1875 1880 13 th Oct 1906	Earth	5 weeks – child of James Rooms 3 weeks do - do 98 Grandfather of the above
326	Thomas Room ¹¹⁹	1874	Earth	53 husband M ^{rs} C. Miles' [???] sister – a Navy ^killed on the Docks^
327	George Walton	1872	Earth	39 A Navy – working on the Docks died suddenly
328	Thomas Rosser Elizabeth Rosser	1870 1880	Earth Head Stone	65 82 widow of above
329	<< altered to 330 James Dyer Elizabeth Dyer	1866 1906	Earth "	55 The Carrier 89 Wife of the above

¹¹⁶ Of King's Weston House, brother of Philip John Miles; see grave 582 and footnote 179, also Image 11, p. 125.

¹¹⁷ This is obscurely worded, because the Taylors farmed land of which Mr Young Sturge was the proprietor. The latter surname has offered a problem to many having to write it. *Sturge* is the correct form.

¹¹⁸ Compare graves 222 and 299.

¹¹⁹ The local surname is *Rooms*. This name as written ends in a flourish that does not appear to be an <s>. Compare graves 325 and 480.

	William Dyer	5 th Jan. 1911	"	63
330	<< <i>altered to 329</i> Ann Leman Purnell << The above numbers were altered in Aug. 1906 when the Purnell grave was opened owing to the two numbers being wrong. Signed H A Powell. Vicar.	1867	Earth	68
331	Emma Parsons James Dyer Edwin John Mead [and entry X'd through in columns 2 and 6]	1870 1866 1870	Earth	3½ Child of a Navy 55 The Carrier 14 months Do. Do. N.B. No fee was paid for either of these and the parties have no claim to exclusive possession + [illegible]
332	Emma Parsons Charlotte Jane Rowley [interlined, faint] Edwin John Mead	1870 1870	Earth	3½ - child of a Navy [over erased (?) entry] 14 months Child of George Rowley + [half-erased material similar to the wording in previous entry]
333	Sarah Trebbit ¹²⁰ [interlined, faint, possibly erased] Charlotte Jane Rowley Charles William George Rowley George Rowley	1869 1870 1873 1879	Earth	15 months Child of George Rowley [G.R. written over Gate-keeper Hooper's Crossing Avonm th] 4 months brother of above 35 father of above
334	Harriet Bear [interlined, faint] Sarah Trebbit [over deleted/erased material]	1869	Earth	40 15 months child of Gate-keeper Hooper's Crossing Avonmth
335	David Robert Cole [interlined, faint] Harriet Bear [over erasure] Elizabeth Ambler John Beer	1869 Jan 2 nd . 1904 Dec ^r 9 th 1911	Earth " "	6 son of the Engine Driver 40 42, Bradley Cresc ^t . Shireh ⁿ . 88, 42 Priory Road Shirehampton
336				[Small money calculation top right of page]

¹²⁰ Rare surname, perhaps a form of *Trevett*, a Dorset name.

	David Robert Cole [<i>over faint X'd material</i>]	1869	Earth	6 – son of the Engine Driver
337	Edward Partt William Henry Partt William Henry Partt [<i>all over faint X'd material</i>]	1869 1869 1871	Earth	3} 7} sons of the Omnibus Proprietor ¹²¹ 31 Father of above
338	Emily Louisa Hodge William Charles Irwin Hodge Emma Hodge Charles Hodge Minnie Matilda Hodge <u>Grave full</u>	1869 Dec 23. 1893 Mar. 8. 1909 Dec. 10. 1917 Apr. 2. 1954	Earth – –	17 day daughter of the Railway Carpenter 29, High Street, Shirehampton 68, 28 High St. Shirehampton 77 Devon Cottage, Pembroke Road 83 5 Lux Furlong, Sea Mills ¹²²
339	Isaac Pollard Amelia Pollard	1868 1879	Earth	73 78 – widow of above
340	Elizabeth Ellen Kilmister Richard Henry Harris Emily Holloway Kilmister	1868 June 21. 1893 Dec. 15. 1894	Earth " "	10 months – John Kilmister's child 2 days. Pembroke Road 3, Bradley Crescent
341	Edward Brewer Grubb	1867	Earth	44 – Avonmouth Tap Keeper
342	Thomas Oldrey Jane Denham Charlotte Georgina Oldrey	1867 1867 1869	Earth	70 73 – sister of above 57
343	Ellen Hack	1867	Earth Large Head Stone	28
344	Charles Price Charlotte Price Charles Price	1866 1882 1885	Earth	13½ - son of Price the Shoemaker 54 – Mother of the Above 70 – Husband of the Above
345	Hannah Bayley Amelia Creswick	1866 1886	Earth Head Stone	54 68
346	Elizabeth Smith	1866	Earth Head Stone	83 – A fellow servant of M ^{rs} Oldrey – who lived with her
347	This number was accidentally omitted in the map			
348	John Flower Elizabeth Flower	1863 1864	Earth	60 – Mason 70 – his wife Here comes the Path [<i>pencil</i>]

¹²¹ William Henry senior was a victualler in Henbury in the 1861 census.

¹²² Street on the new Sea Mills estate.

349	Rebecca Weston Jane Collins Joseph Weston	1863 1863 1880	Flat Bevelled Stone	57 69 64 – widower of above Grave full
350	Susanna Spare John Spare Ann Lewis Susannah Spare	1862 1865 1878 1889 Apr 12 th	Flat Bevelled Stone	74 71 51 – daughter of above – her husband was lost in the 'Royal Charter' ¹²³ 64 Who died "
351	<< Border next to lane William Henry Davis Frances Davis	 Nov. 13 th 1894 April 22 1924	Earth	 The Hermitage, ¹²⁴ Shirehampton, 76 Eldon Long Ashton. Died at 10 Cambridge Park Clifton
352	<< Border next to lane Maria Lugg Ann Lugg	1873 1875	Brick Vault –	Wife of M ^r Lugg of Bristol 62 Sister of M ^{rs} Sandell 57 – Second wife of Do
353	Alice Sandell Frederick Glenth rne [sic] Hawkins Thomas Sandell Thomas Harper Sandell	1878 1879 1882 1892	Earth	Wife of Thomas Sandell Farmer ¹²⁵ – 61 10 – died at Montpelier Bristol 70. Husband of the Above 48, The Terrace, Shirehampton
354	George Kennett Elizabeth Margaret Kennett Frank Hilton Kennett	1881 March 1892 April 9. 1907	Earth " "	37 Clerk at Dock Avonmouth 40. Lower Village, Widow of above 9 months Lower Village
355	Clara Eda Pointing ¹²⁶ Elizabeth Martha Pointing Doris Joy Pointing Martha Ellen Pointing Brown	1881 1896 Nov. 1 st 1900 Mar. 4 th 1908	Earth " " "	5 months of Avonmouth 9 months of Avonmouth 3, Avonmouth 8, Avonmouth
356	[blank]			
357	[blank]			
358	[blank]			
359	[blank]			
360	[blank]			
361	<< [1 altered to 2]			

¹²³ The *Royal Charter* was a steam clipper wrecked in Dulas Bay, Llanelian, Anglesey, during a hurricane on 26 October 1859, with very heavy loss of life. The wording below is incoherent.

¹²⁴ A house in the High Street.

¹²⁵ Park Hill Farm (1881 census).

¹²⁶ The Church-Yard Book undoubtedly says *Eda*, and the 1881 census gives her middle initial as *E.*, but elsewhere (e.g. in her baptismal record, 11 November 1880) she is *Ada*.

	Martha Morris	1880	Earth	27 - died in Child bed at Avonmouth
	Frederick Morris	April 24 th 1888	–	3 of Richmond Terrace Avonmouth
362	<< [2 altered to 1] [blank]			
363	Elizabeth Pearse	1880	Earth Head & foot Stone	47 – wife of Dock man at Avonmouth
	Joseph Pearse	June 7 / 1917	"	84, husband of the above
364	George Naylor	1879	Earth – Head & foot stone	36. Haulier at Avonmouth – killed by a Truck running over him
	Eli Lee	Jan. 14. 1897	"	41. 2 King St. Avonmouth
	Jane Lee	May 12 ⁿ 1915	"	66. 2 King St. Avonmouth
365	Frederick Armitage	1879	Earth	24 – staying with his brother [??] at the Brickyard who worked at the Bottle works
366	George Meaden	1879	Earth	46 – worked at Docks – killed by a fall
367	Edmund House	1878	Earth	65 – a labourer
	Hannah House	1881	"	68 "
368	Rachel Jackman	1877	Earth	52 A woman long afflicted ¹²⁷ wife of a Carpenter working on the Docks
	Millicent Rachel Jackman	1879		20 daughter of above
369	Thomas Reeves	1877	Earth	69 worked on Docks – friend drowned in ditch
370	Samuel Eva ¹²⁸	1877	Earth	38 A mason – worked principally in Docks in Avonmouth & Portishead
	Samuel Eva	1878		15 months – child of above
371	[at top of page:] reckon from the Road side towards the Back lane			
	James Hort [over erasure]	1876	Earth	52 – formerly of Barrow Hill Farm – brother to Joseph Hort
		—		[53 deleted]
372	Stephen Harvey [over erasure]	1878 June 24 th	Earth	21 son of a Navy on the Docks
	Charles Harvey	1906	Do.	

¹²⁷ Born in Guernsey (see 1871 census). Nature of the affliction not recorded.

¹²⁸ A Cornish surname.

	Annie White Huggins	2-1-39	Do.	79 24 Hill St St Pauls Bristol
373	Sarah Dando [<i>over erasure</i>] George Dando	1875 May 18 th May 27. 1900	Earth Earth	58 - lived at Brickyard Crossing 76. Pembroke Rd Shirehampton
374	Frederick Hillier Jane Hillier	1874 1875	Earth –	62 68 wife of above
375	Walter Owen Lloyd George Lloyd	1874 –	Earth	15 - an Imbecile 53 - father of above, a Carpenter
376	[<i>at top of page:</i>] Reckon from the Road side toward the Back lane Jane Chubb	 1873	 Earth	 30 - wife of the foreman of the Carpenters on the Avonmouth Docks
377	Daniel Edwards Herbert George Gingell James Gilbert Gingell Mary Elizabeth Yeeles	1870 Oct 19 th 1886 Nov. 14. 1895 January 22' 1924	Earth – –	28 – son of George Edwards 8 Grand son of the Above – G. Edwards 15 months. Park Hill, Shirehampton
378	Christiana Vowles George Vowles Albert Vowles George Vowles	1874 1874 1880 Aug. 11 th 1897	Earth " "	12 Child of G. Vowles 14 do – do 12 months child of G. Vowles 71 Grave full.
379	Sarah Jeffries Edward Jeffries Josiah Jefferies	1874 1874 1885	Earth – –	45 – wife of Josiah Jeffries 3 years 11-months child of do 67 Husband of the above Grave full
380	William Vowles Anna Maria Vowles	1873 1885	Earth –	10 – child of G. Vowles 49 Wife of George Vowles Grave full
381	Henry Davis William Davis Lucy Davis Jane Davis	1874 3/1/1927 25/9/1933 December 17 th 1945	Earth	Son of William Davis " " " " 76 The Green Shirehampton 81 Do
382	George Jelly Ann Thomas	1874 1886	Earth –	A Navy working in the Docks 75 Wife of the late William Thomas

383	Henry Webber Emily Edith Webber F. C. J. P. Hussey ¹²⁹	1873 1874 1874	Earth	36 died in on [sic] of the New Cottages at the Brickyard ¹³⁰ 3 weeks niece of the above 3 [or 5] months also related to H. W.
384	Ellen Mountjoy Ellen Louisa Mountjoy	1871 1871	Earth	32 Daughter of Mrs Scriven Wife of M' Mountjoy Daughter of above 5 N.B. Insert one Grave between this and No. 385 – Numbered 384. A. See Page III. at the end of the Book
385	 Robert Taylor Edith Beswick John Beswick Sarah Helen Beswick Ellen Bryant	 1871 1873 Apr 19 th 1889 May 23 rd 1909 Feb 27 th 1931	Earth – – –	 N.B. Insert one Grave between this and the path – numbered 385 A. Page III. at end of Book 34 10 weeks. Child of R. Taylor's widow – he [???] married ^married Sarah Hack^ 51 of 2 Lawn Cottages 72 High Street 67 13 Church Rd Redfield
386	Border next to Street Florence Mary Collins Edward Henry Collins George Collins George Samuel Flower Maria Flowers Maria Elizabeth Flower	1866 1870 1871 March 1881 May 27. 1891 April 29. 1931	Earth Earth	23 months – child of George Collins Jun. 13 months Do Do 40 corrected 1881 26: son of Capt. Flower dec ^d 59 Widow of Samuel Flowers 79 Daughter of above Elizabethian ¹³¹ Cottage High St Shirehampton
387	<u>Do</u> Alice Flower George Collins	1866 1871	Earth "	10 months child of Capt. Flower 40

¹²⁹ Francis Charles James Pinn; from Register, via Ancestry.co.uk.

¹³⁰ At West Town.

¹³¹ This is the form of the name regularly used in the early years of its documentation: from about 1900. The cottage is genuinely Tudor.

	Ivor Stanley Hack	Sept. 25 1895	"	1½ years. 3 The Terrace, Shirehampton
388	<u>Do</u> George Painter Thomas Taylor Catlin Henry Painter George Painter	1863 1866 1874 1909 [<i>altered from 1899</i>] 24.9.'09	Earth Head & foot stone of Slate	40 29 54 52
389	Border next to Lane Isaac Carter Ann Carter	October 28. 1893 April 7 th 1909	Earth "	70, Alma Villa, Avonmouth 83, 306 Gloucester Rd, Bristol
390	Border next to Lane Minnie Limbrick Frederick John Limbrick Edwin Biddle Louisa Biddle	June 6 th 1896 July 6 th 1898 March 31. 1904 April 5 th 1916	Earth – – –	30. 1 Bradley Crescent 34 Pembroke Rd Shirehampton 63, 2 Alma Villas, Shirehampton ¹³² 75 " " " Wife of the foregoing
391	John Finch	1886 Feb 24	Earth	44 who worked at the Lead Works he came from Newcastle
392	Jane Hill Arthur Hill James Sandford Kepple	1885 Sept 17 th April 22. 1888 Oct. 11 th 1894	Earth – –	63 Landlady of the Life Boat 20 months Son of M ^r T. Hill 37 Brother in law of M ^r T. Hill
393	Minnie Boyd George Boyd	1885. Sept 5 November 8 th 1920	Earth	Dissenting funeral – Avonmouth Grave full
394	Person from Bottleworks			
395	William Britton Amelia Hazell John Robert Millar Louisa Ann Hazell Albert Edward Barnard	1884 1885 1885 Oct 22 nd 1887 Oct. 21 st 1896	Earth Head & foot Stone – – – Grave full	24 Avonmouth 18 - 7 weeks – Grandson of M ^r Hazell – Avonmouth 54 of Avonmouth 9 months of Avonmouth
396	Elizabeth Lambourne George Lambourne Amelia Evelyn Lambourne	Oct 6 th 1883 Feb 5 1888 Jan: 10. 1895	Earth Earth "	46 Avonmouth 67 Avonmouth 18 months "
397	George Parsons Sarah Jane Crago	1882 March 20.1892	Earth "	71 Avonmouth 21. Avonmouth

¹³² NB Not the same as the house in the previous entry.

398	Ellen Taylor	1884	Earth	54 Avonmouth
399	Chemist from Avonmouth ¹³³			
400	[blank]			
401	Woman found drowned. name unknown Grave full [pencil]		Earth	
402	2 men buried by the Parish Names unknown Grave full [pencil]		Earth	Aged [blank] years from Avonmouth
403	Tom Anstie	1881	Earth	28 Avonmouth
404	Charles Atkins	1881	Earth	23 Waiter at Royal Hotel Avonmouth
405	Sarah Dancey	1881	Earth	Found drowned at Avonmouth
406	Annie Poole George Poole	1880 April 8. 1902	Earth "	13 Daughter of George Poole 76, Station Rd Shirehampton
407	James Robinson Elizabeth Robinson	1879 Dec. 6. 1916	Earth	Probable Age about 70 Reg ^d 62 ¹³⁴ formerly a ganger over navvies 95
408	Annie Poole John Poole Franklin Sidney Poole	1879 Janry 15 1888 June 23 rd 1888	Earth – –	53 Wife of John Poole 57 Husband of the above Avonmouth 4 Son of the above J. Poole
409	Maria Quarterly [sic] Thomas Howell Francis Quarterly [sic] William Quartley	1879 1880 1880 1893 <u>Grave Full</u>	Earth – – –	52 Wife of Landlord of Marine Hotel Avonmouth 7 months Nephew of the Above 43 Widower of the Above 59 Marine Hotel Avonmouth
410	Charles & Robert Chubb George Henry Chubb	1878 1881	Earth –	11 months twin children of Henry Chubb carpenter 15 days
411	William John Mears Annie Poole William John Mears Albert Edward Mears Alfred John Mears	1881 1880 Mar. 7. 1897 March 14 th , 1909 28/11/1925	Earth " " "	2 13 daughter of George Poole 15 months – 43 King St. Avonmouth 20 – 43 King St Avonmouth 78. 43 King St Avonmouth

¹³³ Was this suspiciously anonymous and undated person one of the three French scientists killed in an explosion at the mustard gas factory at Chittening in 1917/18 (Thomas 1989: 25; Wadsworth 2014: 103-104)?

¹³⁴ Note the numbered reference to the Burials Register; compare grave 677.

	Lydia Mears ¹³⁵	24/2/1954	Room for one "	96 60 Cook St. Avonmouth
412	Edith Jane Martin [interlined] James Robinson	1881 1879	Earth	9 probable age about 70 — reg ^d is [as?] 62 — formerly Ganger on P. & P. [R.?] over Navvies
413	George Day [interlined] Anne Poole George Day Eliza Newman Charles Newman	1881 1879 March 13 th 1892 August 30. 1916 Nov 8 1926	Earth — Grave full <u>CWD</u>	30 58 — Wife of John Poole 15 Son of the Above 69 80
414	Walter Henry Martin [interlined] Maria Quartly Thomas Howell Francis Quarterly	1880 1879 1880 1880	Earth	5 months child of the carter at M' Barton's ¹³⁶ 52 — wife of the landlord of Marine Hotel Avonmouth 7 months — nephew of above 43 — widow of above
415	Albert Jesse Gunning [interlined] Charles & Robert Chubb	1879 July 1878	Earth	7 weeks 11 months, twin children of Henry Chubb — carpenter
416	Thomas Allen	1878	Earth	43 Blacksmith & Penioner [sic] ¹³⁷
417	Sarah Chandler William Thomas Chandler	1878 1884	Earth —	29 Wife of Chandler at Bistol [sic] House ¹³⁸ 36 - Husband of the Above
418	Edith Davis [interlined] George Day Ada May Davis Charles Davis Mary Davis Ernest Davis [overwriting Room for 1 more]	1876 Jan. 26. 1881 Oct 13. 1918 July 6 1920 January 13 1936 May 5 th 1938	Earth	8 months child of Charles Davis [erasure] 26 Died at Cheltenham 65 81 57 <u>Grave full</u>
419	Jane Chase [interlined]	1875		64 Aunt of W. Perry Gardener

¹³⁵ Lydia and Alfred Mears lost two sons in the First World War, and they are commemorated here also; see also Image 19, p. 129.

¹³⁶ Shirehampton Farm.

¹³⁷ Pensioner, probably meaning a former soldier.

¹³⁸ Error for Bristol House, sometime Mrs Gard's convalescent home in Victoria Place, 3 Station Road (Fisher and Fisher (no date), photo 13).

	Walter H Martin William Henry Perry William Perry ¹³⁹ Frances Emma Perry	1880 1880 1882 1884	Earth – – –	5 – months 1 child of W. Perry Gardener 35 Father of the Above child 9 Daughter of the Above
420	John Cook Hooper [interlined] Albert Jesse Gunning	1875 1879	 Earth	56 Landlord of Marine Hotel Avonmouth 7 months – son of man at Brick yard There is 30 graves only instead of 35
421	Thomas Allen [Columns 2-4 crossed through]	1878	Earth	43. Blacksmith & Pensioner
422	Sarah Chandler ← 422 C — J C Hooper [Columns 2-4 crossed through]	1878 1878	Earth Earth	Wife of Chandler at Bristol House N.B. Two Graves to be inserted here – numbered 422.A. 422.B. See Page III. also a 3 rd numbered 422.C. between this grave and the Path N.B. no graves inserted as there is only 30 instead of 35
423	Border next to Street George Collins Jane Collins ?Celia [interlined obliquely] Matilda Clara Gough	 1870 1879 1884	 Earth 	81 – Postmaster 78 – widow of above 44 – neice [sic] of the above
424	One Grave too many marked on the Map			
425	Border next to Street John Edbrooke Mary Edbrooke	1871 1881	Earth –	58 – Blacksmith 75 Wife of the Above
426	Border next to Street James Parks	1868	Earth	29 – A Wesleyan Minister son in law of John Edbrooke
427	Border next to lane William Williams Emma Williams	June 11 th 1889 Feb 1941	Earth	42 – Son in law of M ^r Carters Avonmouth 87 8 Hopetown Rd St Werburghs

¹³⁹ His grave is surmounted by a prominent red granite obelisk proclaiming him to be “The Children’s Friend” – he was a noted philanthropic worker in Victorian Bristol. (See Image 14.)

428	Border next to lane Graham Lonard [sic] Westey Graham George Husher, Hannah Husher	July 20 th 1889 April 10. 1892 Jan 16. 1894 <u>full A.J.H.</u>	Earth " "	12 of Avon House Lamplighters ¹⁴⁰ 86, grandfather of the above 87, 3 The Terrace Shirehampton
429	Eliza Guest John Guest	Dec 1 st 1886 May 12/91	Earth Earth	57 of Avonmouth 69. Avonmouth
430	Ellen Charlotte M ^c Coll Thomas Bernard M ^c Coll John Robert M ^c Coll	1886 Nov: 16. 1892 Nov. 30 th 1911	Earth Earth "	5 months of Avonmouth 6 months 57
431	Alfred Parsons Emily May Parsons Martha Parsons	1886 1905 10 th Jan. 1911	Earth Earth "	42 of Bradley Crescent 2 months of Sunny Vale ¹⁴¹ 73 of the Lower Village, Shirehampton
432	Elizabeth Parsons Emily May Parsons Martha Parsons	1886 1905 10th Jan. 1911	Earth	72 of Avonmouth
433	Esther Sellick	1886	Earth	24 of Bradley Crescent
434	George Trimm	1886	Earth	63 of Richmond Terrace Avonmouth
435	Mary Ann Bryant Robert Bryant	1886 1917	Earth	52 of Pembroke Road 77 Richmond Terrace A'mouth
436	Richard Morris	1885	Earth	57 Man who worked for M ^{rs} Naylor Avonmouth
437	Henry Arthur Deuty	Jany 3 rd 1886	Earth	8 months
438	Mary Jane Dowle	Jany 3 rd 1886	Earth	16 months Avonmouth
439	Charles Henry Freeth Henry Freeth Mary Ann Freeth 1918 ¹⁴²	1885 12 Sept 1918 Died 6/3/26	Earth "	18 Son of Henry Freeth 74 79
440	Caroline Wade	1885	Earth	85 Wife of the late M ^r Thomas Wade
441	Jane Bere	1885	Earth	4½ Mon Bradley
442	Nellie Elizabeth Heard Evelyn Rose Heard Olive Elizabeth May Heard	1885 April 15. 1901 April 18 th 1901	Earth " "	2 years 3 mo – died from drinking bad water 9 High Street, Shirehampton 7 High Street, Shirehampton
443	Rachel Palmer	1885	Earth	71 Died at Bristol her husband used to work at Avonmouth Dock

¹⁴⁰ A lodging-house, 93 Station Road; compare graves 682 and 684.

¹⁴¹ In Barracks Lane.

¹⁴² Probably a note to correct the date in the previous row, where something has been altered to 1918.

444	Sarah Williams	1885	Earth	87 She worked many years at Kingsweston gardens
445	Elizabeth J. C. Perry Emma Perry	1885 1886	Earth	12 Daughter of the late W. Perry – gardener 36 Mother of the above-named child
446	Sarah Anne Wilson Elizabeth Wilson Robert Wilson << Mrs Thomsen 9 Meadow St Av th	1885 Oct. 7: 1916 Jun 25 th 1924	Earth "	52 Avonmouth 66 " 90 "
447	Richard Snell	1885	Earth	3 Bottle works
448	Mary Loveday Richard Loveday	1885 —	Earth —	70 Brick yard 78 Husband of the Above
449	James Pearce [<i>overwrites</i> Man on [<i>illegible</i>] suddenly at Avonmouth] Thomas Garner – stabbed on board ship ¹⁴³	1885	Earth	44 stabbed by one of the his shipmates 47
450	Ann Taylor Lily Sprague	1884 Jany 9 th 1887	Earth —	70 Wife of Lighthouse Keeper Avonmouth 6 months Granddaughter of the above
451	Elizabeth Boulton Phillip George Valentine Boulton William Henry Boulton Jane Boulton Long << <u>A.J.H.</u> Jane Boulton	1884 1888 Sept. 28 th 1892 Dec. 15. 1893 April 9. 1926	Earth — — — — full	69 Wife of Farmer Boulton 4 Months Son of M ⁱ Boulton 59, Of Park Hill Farm, Shirehampton 83, of Barton Regis Union ¹⁴⁴ 83 of The Green Shirehampton
452	John Goodman Mary Goodman Elizabeth Atkins	1884 Aug. 10. 1900 June 26 1907	Earth <u>Head Stone</u> — —	64 Head Stone 84, Lower Village. Shirehampton 87 53 Bradley Crescent Shirehampton

¹⁴³ Manslaughter by the Norwegian Herman Andresen on board the barque *St Kilda* (*Western Daily Press*, 18 July 1885).

¹⁴⁴ i.e. the Barton Regis Union workhouse, 100 Fishponds Road, Eastville. On local workhouses, see Ball, Parkin and Mills (2015: chapter 3).

453	Charles Harris Sarah Harris Edwin Charles Harris Charles Arthur Harris << Room for one more	1884 Dec. 13 th 1906 April 22. 1926 January 11 th 1945	Brick " " "	[age erased] (Farmer) ¹⁴⁵ who fell out of a waggon coming from Bristol 69 Wife of above 60 Son of above 70 Do
454	Thomas Cantle Ellen Cantle	1884 Jan. 20 th 1908	Earth "	33 Guard on P. P. Railway ¹⁴⁶ 71. Wife of above
455	Amy Sprout ¹⁴⁷	1884	Earth	3 month Relation of Banwell's ¹⁴⁸
456	Edwin Fredrick Mecrate ¹⁴⁹ Robert John Mecrate Janetta Mecrate	1883 12 th May 1910 Nov. 16 th 1916	Earth " "	11 drowned whilst bathing Avonmouth 71 71 St. James Parade, Bristol
457	Isaac James Smith Paul Henry Smith Thomas Smith Bethany Ann Smith	1883 - 1890 1922. July 31	Earth - - -	13 11 Two brothers drowned whilst bathing with the above 50 Father of the above 46, Daughter of Thomas Smith - above
458	Elizabeth Northover	1882	Earth	77 Mother-in-law of Game Keeper Kingsweston
459	Thomas Lloyd Susan Lloyd Thomas Lloyd	1880 Oct 12 1904 March 19 th 1925	Earth "	63 – a carpenter who died at Gloucester County Lunatic Asylum 85. widow of above 64
460	William Prime Ann Prime	1879 1885	Earth -	69 79
461	John Yeeles Mary Yeeles Sarah Yeeles	1878 1905 1955	Earth " "	55 90 95 <i>N.B. Insert here 3 graves marked 461.A., 461.B., 461.C Page IV. between this grave and the path</i>

¹⁴⁵ Of Sunny Hill farm (1881 census).

¹⁴⁶ P. P. = Port & Pier, i.e. the Bristol Port Railway and Pier Co.

¹⁴⁷ Amy was actually *Sproat* in the parish register, no doubt correctly.

¹⁴⁸ Probably Luke Banwell, baker and confectioner in the High Street (1881 census).

¹⁴⁹ A rare surname, probably a variant of *Maycraft*, originally *Medcroft*, as suggested by Peter McClure (by email). Some other records suggest it may have been (mis)understood as *McCrate*.

462	<< Border next to Street Robert John Tutcher ¹⁵⁰	1873	Earth	4 months Child of Tutcher – Head gardener at King's Weston
463	<< Border next to Street Frances Tutcher Joseph Tutcher	1883 March 10. 1904	Earth "	44 Wife of the above Head gardener Kingsweston 65, Pembroke Rd
464	<< Border next to Street [blank]			
465	<< Border next to Street Sarah Ann Chaplin Florence Chaplin x << {465a << {465 ^a William Evans << Next to wall Elizabeth Evans << 465 x Sidney Chaplin Beare This Body was buried in 465	1868 1886 Oct 13. 1897 Sept 5 1929 October 8 th 1922	Earth Hd & ft Stone – Earth Grave <u>full</u>	33 Wife of William Chaplin 20 Daughter of the above 71, Avonview Terrace 89 1a Meadow St Avonmouth 22 33 Bradley Avenue
466	<< Border next to lane Mary Ann Butcher Henry Benjamin Butcher Sophia Miles	Novr 27 1887 Jan. 16 1909 Mar 20 1930	Earth	51 Avonmouth 70. 18 Green Lane, Avonmouth [age blank] 23 Dean St Russell Town Avenue Bristol
467	<< Border next to lane Lydia Knott Elizabeth Annie Knott William John Knott	April 20 1888 August 28. 1894 Nov. 1 st 1899	Earth " "	44 24 23. Redcliffe Bristol 53, Redcliffe, Bristol
468	<< This row in Plat is marked out with pegs in centre at Head and foot 3ft apart 35 graves			

¹⁵⁰ This surname is very unusual, but three of the four instances in this entry are unambiguous. From Middle English *toucher* 'an assayer of metal; a toucher (used both literally and figuratively)'.

	Annie Blanche Rawlings	July 28 th 1889	Earth	4 Grandchild of M ^r W. Andrews Avonmouth
	Priscilla Andrews	May 20 th 1894	"	26 from Manchester
	William Andrews	May 16 1909	"	76, 44 King St Avonmouth
	Jane Andrews	Sept 18 1915	"	77, " " " "
469	Dora Bigwood	Jan. 17: 1891	Earth	2, daughter of M ^r Bigwood, 6 Clayton Street Avonmouth
	Doreen Bigwood	July 5. 1892	"	17 months sister of above
470	<< For further children's graves, See <u>791</u> . [Two columns:] [Column 1:] Louisa Gale (1)	Feb.13.1891 (1)		[Two columns:] [Column 1:] 3 weeks (1)
	Lily Robertson	Feb 15	Earth	6 months
	Herbert John Greening	21 st Mont	"	22 months
		March. 1891	"	
	Walter Frank Eggleton	April 11 th 1891	"	13 months
	Edith Lilian Vaughan	Dec. 8 th 1891	"	8 months
	Frank Rowe Willcocks	Feb: 2. 1892	"	[blank]
	Arthur Part ¹⁵¹ Painter	Feb. 27. 1892	"	6 months
	Fred Coles	July 2 nd 1892	"	8 months
	Thomas Edwards	Oct. 21 st . 1893	"	20 days
	[Column 2:] Flossie Louise Painter			[Column 2:] 24 days
	Gladys May Gunning			7 months
	Edith Amelia Chard			[blank]
	Lily Elizabeth Edwards			3 days
	Sidney Lawrence Fletcher			5 months
	Henry Llewellyn			9 months
	Th ^{os} Arthur Lunniss ¹⁵²			41 days
	Albert W ^m Lunniss			41 days
471	John Lloyd	March 7 th 1891	Earth	28, Bradley Crescent, Shirehampton 35
	Rosina Lloyd	June 1 st 1921		Southmead Infirmary ¹⁵³ 63
	STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ———— << 471 ^A			
	Maria Hodges	June 2 nd 1891	Earth	Benacre Cottages, Shirehampton 62
	John Hodges	December 21 st 1895	"	" " " 63

¹⁵¹ Probably for *Partt*; see grave 337.

¹⁵² A usually eastern English surname from Middle English *Londenais* 'Londoner'.

¹⁵³ A Barton Regis Union workhouse hospital opened in 1902.

472	John Thatcher Emily Thatcher	Feb. 17 th 1891 May 18 1892	Earth "	Pembroke Road, 71 Park Place, 21
473	Albert Tom Hill Annie Elizabeth Hill Henry Hill	Sep: 1 st 1890 Nov: 24 th 1906 April 9: 1913	Earth " "	9 months. Son of Wm Hill Junr Railway Crossing Avonmouth Sister of above 46 Ellenborough Place, Shirehampton 55
474	Clifton George Thomas Cane George Cane	Decr 19 th 1889 Dec. 17 1914	Earth "	3 months No 45 Richmond Terrace <u>Avonmouth</u> 53 20 Richmond Terrace
475	Elizabeth Kent Phillips Elizabeth [L?]ulley (S) [<i>red</i>] ¹⁵⁴ John Markuson Jane Phillips Samuel Phillips	Jul. 21. 1889 Aug: 14/90 June 4. 1902 April, 29 th 1911 Oct 28 th 1915	Earth Earth " " "	{ 5 months old, 9 Bradley Crescent { 82 Grandmother of the above 5, Children's Hospital 60 69. Husband of Jane Phillips
476	William Barnard Eliza Barnard Thomas Barnard	July 15 1889 June 15 1915 January 8 1916	Earth " "	2 No 9 King St Avonmouth Son of M ^r T. Barnard 65 50 King St Avonmouth 64 50 King St Avonmouth
477	Beatrice Maud Drew	July 9 th 1889	Earth	23 Months of 43 Richmond Terrace Avonmouth
478	Charles Edward White Sydney W ^m White Albert Edward White Sidney George White Alfred Henry White Phyllis May White	June 30 th 1889 Aug: 20 th 1890 Aug: 13 th 1898 Aug: 20 th 1898 May 15. 1902 Sep. 5 1906	Earth Earth Earth Ditto " "	13 months of 7 Richmond Terrace Avonmouth 6 weeks. 7 Rich ^d Terr: Avonmouth 6 days " " 13 days " " 18 days " " 10 months " "
479	Alfred Hadly [<i>sic</i>] Elizabeth Hadley	Sept 12 th 1888 Feb. 16 th 1914	Earth "	39 of Pembroke Road who fell down stairs and died from it. He worked at the Lead works. ¹⁵⁵ 62 " 5 Bradley Crescent

¹⁵⁴ A later contributor has realized her surname could be misread – it was actually *Sulley* (via Ancestry.co.uk).

¹⁵⁵ At West Town.

480	Edgar Alexander Rooms ¹⁵⁶	July 4 th 1888	Earth	23 months Son of M ^r William Rooms of Avonmouth
	Bertha Evelyn Room <i>[sic]</i>	April 1. 1901	"	5, 33 Richmond Terrace
481	Herbert John Harrison	June 27 th 1888	Earth	2 months Residing at M ^r Edbrookes cottage ¹⁵⁷
	Part of Body of a man washed ashore	Aug. 18 th 1892	"	–
	O. Neilson (body found in water)	Feb. 7 th 1893	"	–
482	William Richmond John Butcher	Febry 26 1888 March 4 1927	Earth	48 Avonmouth 71 of 15 King St Avonmouth Died at 100 Fishponds Rd ¹⁵⁸
483	Sarah Ann Lukins	Feb 18 th 1888	Earth	24 Barracks Lane <u>by parish</u> ¹⁵⁹
484	Ellen Gardiner	Oct 8. 1887	Earth	a few hours. Child of Wm. Gardiner, The Batch
	Frank William Gardiner	June 10 th 1890	"	11 months
485	Louisa Sansum <i>[interlined, indicated by arrow from bottom of entry]</i>	Dec 23 1932		
	George Augustus Sansum	Sept 27 1887	Earth	15 Months of Bradley
	Tamzin Louisa Augusta Sansum	Oct. 8 th 1892	"	4 months, 11 Bradley Crescent
	Ben Cuthbert George Sansum	Jan 22 1903	"	22 months
	George Augustus Sansum	June 6 th 1911	"	54, Pembroke Road
	Crodwen ¹⁶⁰ Mary Sansum	March 23. 1912		18 D. of above
486	Henry Male	July 18 th 1887	Earth	80 of Shirehampton
487	Mary Wear	July 2 nd 1887	Earth	75 of Avonmouth
488	William Thomas Jeffery	Apr. 10 1887	Earth	17 Months of Avonmouth
	William Jeffery	March 23. 1904	"	48, Pembroke Rd Shirehampton
	Eliza Jane Jeffery	August 24 th 1910	"	49, High Street Do.
489	Thomas Daniel Challenger	Apr 3 rd 1887	Earth	49 of Shirehampton
	Martha Challenger	May 12 th 1891	Earth	81. Mother of above
490	Herbert Senior	Mar 7 th 1887	Earth	11 Months of Bradley Crescent
	Cecil Lewis Senior	March 10 th 1898	"	11 months, of Bradley Crescent

¹⁵⁶ The baptismal register also gives *Rooms*, but all other mentions, including civil registration indexes and published family trees (Ancestry.co.uk), give *Room*. Compare grave 325.

¹⁵⁷ Near the junction of Station Road and Pembroke Road.

¹⁵⁸ A euphemism for the Barton Regis Union workhouse.

¹⁵⁹ i.e. she was a pauper.

¹⁶⁰ No other trace has been found locally of this rare Welsh given name, whose origin is unknown.

	Ernest Cyril Senior Edna Limbrick	November 23 1899 Dec 14 1918	"	11 months, of Bradley Crescent 18 months. 39 Bradley Crescent grave full
491	George Henry Lewis Ernest George Lewis	Feb 24 1887 Apr 25 th 1888	Earth –	52 of Avonmouth 6 months Grandson of the above
492	Henry George Godfrey	Feb 22 1887	Earth	35 of Bristol
493	Daisy Marian Dando	Feb 1887	Earth	3 Avonmouth
494	Stanley Bryant Hembury	Jan 13 1887	Earth	6 of Avonmouth
495	Richard Bowden [B corrected to D, initialled W.R.] ¹⁶¹ Elizabeth Dowden John Henry Dowden Ellen Dowden	Decr 19 1886 Jan 25. 1891 Nov 3. 1917 18/3/35	Earth " Grave full	49 of Avonmouth 48, of Avonmouth Wife of the above 50, of Avonmouth 72 2 Portview Rd Avonmouth
496	Lavinia Lewis Elizabeth Farmer George Lewis	Decr 12 th 1886 Aug: 11 th 1895 Feb. 24 th 1913	Earth " "	45 Avonmouth 75, Mother of the above 73, Husband of the Above Lavinia Lewis
497	Emily Billinghamurst Eliza Billinghamurst Henry John Billinghamurst	1886 Nov 7 th 20 th Ap: 1901 24 th Jan. 1912	Earth "	12 of Avonmouth 57, of Avonmouth 64, Husband of above
498	George Strong	1886 Oct 10th	Earth	30 Son of M ^r Strong Game Keeper Kingsweston
499	Charles Johnson Elsie Elizabeth Westcott Edward Bertie Thomas Westcott James Hughes Sarah Hughes	1886 April 27. 1891 Sept. 2 nd 1896 13 th Dec ^r 1900 24 Nov 1926	Earth Earth " " " full	48 carpenter at Avonmouth Dock 17 days Avonmouth, 11 weeks Avonmouth. 62 5 Napier Rd Avonmouth 88 N.B. Insert 4 Graves – numbered 499.A., 499.B., 499.C., 499.D. (Pages. IV. V.) between this Grave and the Path N.B. Insert 2 graves 499A & 499B.
500	<< Border next to Street Cecilia Ann Davis [overwriting erasure] Ellen Davis	1876 1914	Earth "	37 – wife of G. Davis, of Crown Brick Comp ^y 67 – wife of G. Davis of "Burlington House"

¹⁶¹ W. R. is not a vicar. He must be William Richards, churchwarden; see grave 293.

	George Davis ¹⁶² see 708 [<i>pencil</i>]	March 29 th 1921		full 82
501	<< Border next to Street James Parish Alice Eliza Lloyd Ernest Thomas Lloyd	1877 1884 1886	Earth – –	35 – Kill [<i>sic</i>] by a sack falling on him at Avnmouth [<i>sic</i>] Docks 9 months 4 months
502	<< Border next to Street [<i>erasure</i>] Gunn John Gunn	1880 1880	Earth Earth	16 months [<i>erasure</i>] 28 run over by train on Port & P Rail
503	<< Border next to Street James Henry Botten Annie Blanche Botten Henry Botten Emily Botten	Sept 26 th 1897 April 9 th 1899 Dec 1926 Aug 23 rd 1941	Earth " " full	5 West Town Shirehampton 9 " " 76 31 Priory Rd " 72 Do ¹⁶³
504	<< Border next to lane Minna Whitehead Lionel Whitehead Harry Whitehead Edward Ernest Whitehead	Feb 9 th 1888 July 10 th 1890 March 7. 1896 June 28. 1904	Earth " " "	17 months High St Shirehampton 1 month " " 4 months The Avenue " 7 months. The Green, "
505	<< Border next to lane Dorcas Eliza Flint	1884	Earth	22 Wife of Custom house officer Avonmouth N.B This grave on border is out of its line in row it is opposite M ^r Joseph Horts it is this row
506	Emily Elizabeth Capern William James Capern	Sept 5 th 1891 August 25. 1895	Earth "	8 months 13 Victoria St Avonmouth 3 months King Street, Avonmouth
507	Eli Andrews Irene Rosina Andrews John Kilminster [<i>sic</i>]	Jan. 21. 1892 Sept. 26 1906 June 15 th 1922	Earth "	33 Crown Terrace, Shirehampton 4 months, 53 Priory Rd. Shirehampton
508	William Farmer James King	Feb 6 th 1892 Jany 19 th 1894	Earth –	Eight months. King St Avonmouth 45, from The Mortuary Bristol Brother to M ^{rs} Farmer

¹⁶² Parish councillor and entrepreneur. Burlington House is now 8 Avonmouth Road.

¹⁶³ Faint money calculations next to this entry down right edge of page.

509	William Davis	April 10 th 1892	Earth	49 King St Avonmouth Worked on board the Texas ¹⁶⁴
510	Mary Stiff	May 19. 1892	Earth	85, 15 Bradley Crescent
511	Ione Herbert	September 1 st 1892	Earth	9 ^Avenue^ Child of chief officer of a steamship
	Winifred Violet Herbert	March 16 th 1894	–	2 months, The Avenue
	Lucy Sophia Herbert	June 16 1926		72. Station Rd Shirehampton
512	Sarah Ann Yeeles	Nov. 3 rd 1892	Earth	47 Park Place Shirehampton
	Thomas Yeeles	Feb. 2 nd 1923		84 Pembroke Road "
513	Alice Maud Greenway	Nov: 16. 1892	Earth	13 Rich ^d Terr Avonmouth
514	Thomas Anderson	Nov. 16 th 1893	Earth	24. S.S. "March" ¹⁶⁵ Avonmouth Dock
	<i>STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ———— << 514^A</i>			
	Cecilia Jones	June 11 th 1893	Earth	Portview Terrace, Avonmouth, 49
515	John Smith	May 7 th 1893	Earth	61 19 Bradley Crescent Working on Dock Extension
516	Samuel Hamer Angus Stewart	June 12, 1892 28 Dec: 1901	Earth "	East St Avonmouth 39 51 William Barnard gave written permission for this burial to be made here.
517	Frank Timothy Franklin	Feb. 4. 1892	Earth	40, Navvy, Buried by the Parish ¹⁶⁶
518	Alfred Gale	Jan. 14 1892	Earth	3, The Batch, Shirehampton
519	Alice Weeks	Earth Dec. 30 th 1891	Earth	25, Lower Shirehampton Living in small cottage next below M ^r Thurstan's.
520	Henry Edward Stoke [<i>sic</i>] Henry Edward Stokes	Nov: 29/91 Jan. 6 th 1917	Earth "	11 Avonmouth 65. Richmond Terrace, Avonmouth
	Laura Holloway	Nov 28 1918		27. 8 " " " (daughter of H. E. Stokes)
	Elizabeth Ann Stokes	Jan'y 13 1934		Avonmouth

¹⁶⁴ Ship not identified for sure, but probably the Dominion Line Royal Mail steamer which plied between Avonmouth and Montreal.

¹⁶⁵ Ship not identified; possibly a coaster trading round the south-west in the 1890s.

¹⁶⁶ i.e. a pauper.

521	William Charles Goodman ¹⁶⁷ Frederick Goodman Elizabeth Goodman	July 22. 1891 January 3 rd 1910 July 10 th 1924	Earth " "	31. 25 Stanley Road, Redland, Bristol 74. 27 Zetland Road, Bristol 95 21 Glen Park Eastville Bristol
522	Lilian Sabina Taylor Henry Taylor Edward Arthur Charles Taylor Florence Charlotte Bailey Lily Kate Cummings	June 23/91 April 9 th /93 October 22. 1893 13 th Aug: 1901 20 th Nov: 1902	Earth — — " "	8½ months. Victoria St Avonmouth 55 Avonmouth 13 months. Avonmouth 2 months. Avonmouth 6 months, Avonmouth
523	Elizabeth Mary King Sydney William King	June 7 th 1891 April 30. 1893	Earth Earth	2. 39 Richmond Terrace, Avonmouth 8 months do — —
524	Catherine Gertrude Dance Edith Gertrude Dance John Reginald Dance John Dance Rosina Bicker	March 4 th /91 Nov. 28. 1894 Nov. 17. 1897 Sept. 20. 1898 March 31 st 1948	Earth " " " "	7 months Lower Shirehampton 2, Pembroke Road 7 months " " 46, " " 87. 101 Bradley Crescent
525	Charles Edward Hicks Alfred Hicks	Jan 20/91 Sep. 25. 1897	Earth "	1 month. Glass St Riverside 43 West Town
526	Alice Mabel Leach William George Jefferies Helen Blanche Martha Jeffries [<i>overwriting</i> Room for another] Helen Gladys Jefferies <u>Grave full</u>	Sept. 12. 1890 Jan 27 1943 Nov. 16 1950 July 2 1992	Earth	Daughter of M ^r Leach Pembroke Rd 5 39 Kingsweston Avenue Shirehampton 68 " " Daughter of William and Helen, 91. Late of Woodwell Road, Shirehampton. THE LAST BURIAL IN THE CHURCHYARD.
527	Charlie Powell Gladys Ethel Davis Fanny Elizabeth Powell Albert Powell [<i>overwriting</i> Room for another] << Round vase with flowers Grave full	August 28 th 1890 17.2.26 18.1.1950 11.9.1950	Earth	14 months Lead Works Cottages 19 81 1 Priory Rd Shirehampton 84 1 Priory Rd DO

¹⁶⁷ These Bristolians had local connections; see graves 24, 452.

528	Mabel Maud Powell Alfred Henry Powell Nigel John Powell Emily Powell	Aug. 18. 1890 Mar. 1 st 1894 Febr. 23. 1896 Dec 7. 1923	Earth " "	15 weeks, Clayton St. Avonmouth 24 days. " " " 31. " " "
529	Mary Ellen Richardson John William Smith Ernest Edward Richardson	July 17 th 1890 August 6 th 1890 March 4. '05	Earth Earth "	Pembroke Road, Shirehampton, 29 Pembroke Road, Shirehampton [nephew] 37 Lena Street Easton Bristol (child)
530	Tom Wilkins Thomas Wilkins Hester Wilkins full	May 29 th 1890 July 17 th 1897 January 14 th 1922	Earth "	Lower Shirehampton, 16 " " 60 50 Bradley Crescent 88
531	Mary Jane Borrows	April 27/90	Earth	3 months. King St Avonmouth
532	John Fryatt John Turner Ellen Turner	February 12. 1890 April 15. 1916 May 9 1935	Earth Grave now full	42, of Lamplighters, Shirehampton 56, of 294 Coronation Rd. Bristol 62 Do
533	William Beacham Sarah Jane Beacham << +	Jan 18. 1890 23.12.1938	Earth Do	38. Avonmouth, Meadow St 86 28 Meadow St
534	William Harry Atkins Alfred Atkins Emily Sarah Atkins [Emily <i>overwriting + as in 533</i>]	Oct 19 th 1888 25 th Feb: 1899 July 21 st 1930 <u>Full</u>	Earth " 	9 months of Avonmouth 41 of Richmond Terrace Avonmouth 73 24 Richmond Terrace Avonmouth
535	Edith Mildred Ollivant	Augt 28 1888	Earth	41 of Station Road
536	Mary Jane Farmer Noyes Elizabeth Noyes	Dec ^r 11 1887 Dec. 13. 1891	Earth "	12 Bradley Crescent 53, Railway Crossing Cottage
537	Grace Rowe Rouffignac ¹⁶⁸ Joshua Henry Rouffignac Edith Rouffignac Trembath Full	Nov 4 th 1887 Oct 22 1888 Dec.23. 1894	Earth – –	12 months Avonmouth 6 days – 22 months, Avonmouth
538	William Clifford Morgan	Sept 25 1887	Earth	3 months Son of M ^r Morgan High St <i>N.B. Insert 5 Graves</i>

¹⁶⁸ The surname is from either of the places in France with this name (in the present-day departments of Charente and Dordogne). It was apparently brought to the UK in the 17th century and was most frequent in the south-west. The father was a customs officer.

				<i>numbered – 538.A, 538.B., 538.C., 538.D., 538.E – Pages V. VI. between this Grave and the Path. N.B. <u>Insert 3 only.</u></i>
539	<< Border next to Street Emily Rachel Knighton	1878	Earth	14 months – child of a mason
540	<< Border next to Street Kate Elizabeth Brown	1879	Earth	5 months – twin daughter of R. Brown Green grocer <i>[illegible, perhaps Sh]</i>
541	<< Border next to Street William Charles Webber John Scott	1880 Oct. 22 nd 1916	Earth "	16 months child of man at Avonmouth 75, lived at 16 Meadow St., Avonmouth
542	<< Border next to Street Fanny Morgan	1880	Earth	9 days
543	<< Border next to lane Walter Fenton Holtom	Nov. 30 th 1895	Earth	Boskenna, Shirehampton, 8
544	<< Border next to lane Elizabeth Halliday N.B. Graves 545 to 556 along the East end of the Sacristy were not moved or disturbed. C.W.D. ¹⁶⁹	1872	Brick Grave	71 { many years servant in the Miles' family
545	Joseph Hort Harriet Hort	1881 24 th Oct 1904	Earth "	63 (Farmer) Avonmouth ¹⁷⁰ 86 Widow of the above, Hallen, Henbury
546	(Entrance to Miles' vault -) Walter Riddiford Elizabeth Jane Riddiford Walter Henry Riddiford Eva Mary Riddiford	 Dec 6. 1891 Dec 20. 1899 Mar. 2. 1911 March 30 th 1916	See 582, 583, 584 Earth " " "	51 Pembroke Road, Sh. 57 " " " 41. Pri[m?]y School, S'ton
547	Robert Chaddock Edwin Robert Chaddock Ann Powell Chaddock	1882 July 12 1885 Nov. 22. 1902	Earth –	52 Shop Keeper 19 Son of above 69, 280 Fishponds Rd Br.
548	John Maggs Robert Maggs	1883 1883	Earth –	79 Father of the Baker Avonmouth 7 days Son of the Baker

¹⁶⁹ Presumably referring to the new building in 1929-30.

¹⁷⁰ The Horts were formerly of Barrow Hill Farm, but by this time probably at Battery Farm on the Marsh.

	Ann Maggs	Nov 29 th 1885	—	81 Wife of the above
549	Emma Fear Benjamin Gough Hannah Gough	Sept 9 th 1889 Oct 17 th 1923 Nov 15 th 1923	Earth " " full C.W.D.	37, Daughter of M ^r Gough of Station Road
550	Frederick William Thatcher Ivor Alfred Thatcher Charles Thatcher Clara Augusta Thatcher	Jan 29 th 1894 Aug: 19 th 1895 Oct. 24. 1897 July 1 st 1908	Earth Earth " "	9 months Park R ^d Shirehampton 5 months Park R ^d Shirehampton 32 " " 44 " "
551	AT THIS POINT AN ADDITIONAL ROW OF GRAVES IS INSERTED numbered 721 -			
552	Nathaniel Radmore Hammet Mary Ann Hammet Mary Georgiana Symes John Everett Symes	May 21 st 1890 Jan. 21 st 1901 Dec 2 nd 1921 July 24 1935	Earth " "	61 The Green, Shirehampton 68 The Green Shirehampton 15 Sion Hill Clifton
553	Andrew Nisbet Harry [<i>possibly overwriting</i> Henry] Nisbet Elizabeth Nisbet N.B. Stone possibly now placed on grave nearer High St than it sh ^d be. 4/4/30	March 21 st 1891 Nov. 1 st 1891 Aug. 26 th 1906	Earth " "	63, 37 Bradley Crescent Shirehampton 28, son of above 39; Nurse
554	Thomas Fisher ¹⁷¹ {	June 11. 1891	Brick grave	80, 20 Cornwallis Crescent, Clifton. Admiral in H. M. Navy
555	{ [<i>blank</i>]			
556	Richard Wood	Feb. 8. 1892	Earth	8 months, Park Hill, Shirehampton
557	Ernest Parrott + [<i>sic</i>]	June 17. 1892	Earth	Six weeks, Pembroke Rd. Shirehampton
558	Alice Henrietta Flory	Nov. 26. 1892	Earth	29 Avonmouth
559	Sidney Burney Wilson	Dec 21 st 1892	Earth	3½ The Avenue Shirehampton
560	Lavinia Smith Frederick Smith Reginald Milton Smith	Jan 13 th 1893 April 30 th 1915	Earth " "	33 High Street, Shirehampton 25 The Terrace, Shirehampton

¹⁷¹ For Admiral Fisher, see <https://www.pdavis.nl/ShowBiog.php?id=675>; photo <https://www.flickr.com/photos/ljmck/3906146488>. A close friend of the Rev. Arthur Mansfield.

561	Elizabeth Ann McCulloch	Jan 17. 1893	Earth	30, Clayton St. Avonmouth
	Frances McCulloch	May 9. 1902	"	40 " " "
	Hannah Winifred McCulloch	June 2 1904	"	6 " " "
	Alic George McCulloch	Decr 15 th 1904	"	8 " " "
562	Abigail Pearce	Feb. 18. 1893	Earth	64 The Batch, Shirehampton
	Henry Pearce	March 24. 1897	"	74 " "
563	John Langdon Hurley	April 30 1893	Earth	2 months. East St Avonmouth
	Sidney Lionel Langdon Hurley	July 22nd 1894	"	13 months. Richmond Ter. Cousin of above.
564	Charlotte Spiller	June 22. 1893	Earth	53, Lower Shirehampton
	William Spiller	April 5. '05	"	67, Hungroad Cottages
	Elizabeth Mizpah ¹⁷² Locock	November 22 nd '07	"	
	Susan Eliza Spiller	March 19 th '10		70, 101 Bradley Crescent
565	Thomas Charles Middleton	Sept. 2. 1893	Earth	35, died at General Hospital
	Henry Charles Middleton Lewis	Febr. 22 1896	"	15 months, The Bank Lower Village
	Kenneth Richard Clement Burn	March 7. 1919		3 months. 39 Bradley Crescent
566	Thomas Giles	Nov. 9 th 1893	Earth	Lower Village Shirehampton 82
	Elizabeth Giles	Sept. 30 th 1895	—	" " 76
567	Jane Cabbie	Jan 1 st 1894	Earth	65, Park Road Shirehampton
	Eliza Coombs	June 21. 1899	"	75, Park R ^d Shirehampton
	Ambrose Coombes	Nov. 16 th 1906	"	82 Southmead Workhouse, Westbury ¹⁷³
568	Ann Ralph	Jan 1 st 1894	Earth	81, Lower Village, Shirehampton
569	Eliza Young	May 25. 1894	Earth	60, 24 Bradley Crescent, Shirehampton
	Alfred Young	Dec. 4. 1904	"	71 Crown Terrace "
570	William Wilson	June 7 th 1894	Earth	75, 40 Richmond Ter: Avonmouth
	Henry William Padley	June 23. 1901	"	8, 2 Richmond Terrace "
	Henry William Morgan	August 4 th 1907	"	33, Royal Naval Hospital, East Stonehouse ¹⁷⁴

¹⁷² *Mizpah*, from Hebrew *mišpāh* 'watchtower', is an occasional place-name in the Old Testament, used here as a given name, with reference to the bond made over a cairn between Jacob and Laban with God as witness (Genesis 31:44-54): "And Mizpah; for he said, The Lord watch between me and thee, when we are absent one from another." It became popular in Victorian times to engrave this word on jewellery, picking up the theme of an agreement or promise. It also occurs occasionally on gravestones.

¹⁷³ This workhouse was opened by Barton Regis Union in 1902; site now Southmead hospital.

¹⁷⁴ At Plymouth.

	Roland Morgan Ester Emma Morgan	March 2[4?] 1913 July 9 1925	" "	Aged [blank] Richmond Terrace, Avonmouth 71 22 King Street Avonmouth
571	Thomas Hancock Jane Humphrey William Humfrey Frederick William Gazzard	July 15. 1894 December 22 nd 1895 May 28 th 1903 February 19 th 1910	Earth " "	Meadow Street, Avonmouth 83 " " " 55 " " " 63
572	Thomas Norman Reed Richard Reed Mrs Reed ¹⁷⁵	Dec. 6 1894 March 30 th 1929 Jan 5 1931	Earth Room for one more	Pembroke Rd Shirehampton 22 months 1 Dursley Road 76 75
573	William Clark William Frederick Clark full << +	Dec. 7. 1894 Dec 11 1933	Earth	Park Road Shirehampton, 68 (<u>Stone</u>)
574	Eliza Ann Westlake Ivy Gladys Westlake George Henry Westlake William Charles Westlake Martha Westlake	Dec. 9. 1894 Dec. 22 nd 1894 July 12 1903 March 3 1930 January 20 1934	Earth " " " Room for one more CWD.	King St. Avonmouth, 41 " " 11 months 3 King St Avonmouth 13 King St Do 76 3 King St Do 81
575	Marius Madsen ¹⁷⁶	Dec. 29. 1894	Earth	28, Sailor drowned in Avonmouth Docks
576	Eliza Jane Young	Jan 19. 1895	Earth	27 Richmond Terrace 48 <i>N.B. Insert 6 Graves Numbered 576.A., 576.B., 576.C., 576.D., 576.E., 576.F. (Pages VI. IX.) between this Grave and the Path</i>
577	<< Border next to Street Elizabeth Alice Grey Charlotte Grey Eli Burchell Grey Sarah Alice Grey	1880 1885 Nov 28 1930 Sept 1 1943	Earth –	11 months – child of Eli Burchell Grey 35 Mother of the above child 81 Pembroke Rd Shirehampton 86 23 Walton Rd Do

¹⁷⁵ Rose (from her gravestone).

¹⁷⁶ Probably a Dane. No further information.

578	<< Border next to Street Frederick William Wedmore	1880	Earth	6 months – child of National Schoolmaster 35 Wife of School Master 10 months 23, Shirehampton
	Susanna Wedmore	1884	"	
	Richard Wedmore	1884	"	
	John William Wedmore	Sept 29. 1905	"	
579	<< Border next to Street Emma Howes	Oct. 8 th 1882	Earth	36. This entry was omitted at time of Burial [signed] <u>Harold Gibson</u> 45. Postman of Shirehampton for many years. Wife of above. Grave Full. ¹⁷⁷
	William John Howes	Jan. 30 th 1915	Earth	
	Ellen Howes	May 19 1920	"	
580	<< Border next to lane Hilda Rose Adams	1871	Earth	3 months. { Child of M ^r Adams of son in law of M ^r Brewer
581	<< Border next to lane Sarah Moses	1869	Earth	70 { Aunt to Farmer Thurston ¹⁷⁸ 55 wife to do 63 of Bradley Crescent
	Jane Thurston John Thurston	1874 July 31 st 1888	–	
582	John William Miles ¹⁷⁹	1878	Vault – for 6 coffins	61 brother of P.W.S. Miles of King's Weston – lived at Pen Pole House Banker - G.W.R. ¹⁸² Director &c. Body <u>removed</u> 1893 to <u>Crickhowell</u> 66 brother of the above 55 Brother of the above 77, sister to the above
	George Frederick William Miles ¹⁸⁰	1886		
	Henry Cruger William Miles ¹⁸¹	April 9 1888		
	Clarissa Philippa Miles	Jan. 30. 1892		

¹⁷⁷ See the paper inserted into 576-580, referring to grave 579, transcribed in Appendix.

¹⁷⁸ Of Park Hill Farm.

¹⁷⁹ The three brothers interred here were three of the sons of the banker Philip John Miles of Leigh Court. Bachelor John was resident at King's Weston House for much of his life; an agricultural improver and businessman, a co-owner of S.S. Great Britain; Conservative MP for Bristol for two months in 1868 before the election was deemed void on account of "bribery and personation". (The Church-Yard Book does not mention this.)

¹⁸⁰ George made a fortune in Jamaica before returning in 1865 to reside at Llangattock Park, Crickhowell, Brecknockshire [now Powys], which accounts for the removal of his elder brother's body there but not his own interment in Shirehampton. However, though the fact is unrecorded here, he was also translated to Llangattock in 1893 to be buried beside his wife.

¹⁸¹ Cruger was High Sheriff of Bristol in 1866.

¹⁸² Great Western Railway.

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585	[blank]			
586	[blank]			
587	[blank]			
588	[blank]			
589	Mary Ann Richards John Richards Annie Julia Richards	1885 Nov: 21 st 1906 Nov' 8 1934	Earth " Room for another	52 Wife of John Richards Powder House 79 Husband of the above 76
590	Keziah Lait George Lait	1885 June 22 ^d 1925	Earth	49 Wife of M' G Lait (farmer) Avonmouth Avonmouth Farm 86
591	Fredrick Vincent Smith Henry Webb Jane Webb	Dec 16 th 1885 July 16 1889 Febr. 22. 1893	Earth – –	4 months Grandson of H. Webb 63 Grand Father of the above 73, High Street, widow of H. W.
592	Arthur Alfred Bolt Albert Edgar Hill Catherine Bolt	April 22 nd 1886 Janry 31 st 1888 Feb. 25. 1892	Earth – –	30 Brother in law to M' T. Hill only a few hours Son of M' Thomas Hill 72 62 City Road Bristol
593	George Eckley	July 23 1886	Earth	76
594	Elizabeth Keats George Keats	Oct 7 1886 Feb. 3. 1912	Earth "	64 Sister of Mrs Elliott 61
595	William Howes Sarah Howes	May 11 th 1887 Jan 7 th 1893	Earth "	44 59, High Street, Shirehampton
596	Ann Beardall Frederick Audley Sharpe Sidney George Sharpe	Octor [sic] 15 1887 Oct 13 th 1888 Oct 13 th 1888	Earth – –	81 Mother-in law to M' T. Sharpe 4 of Hungroad Sons of M' T. Sharpe 3 – who was both drowned in a pool on the Wharf ¹⁸³
597	Mary Jane Timbury Samuel Timbury	Oct 22 nd 1887 June 23 1907	Earth "	41 of Avonmouth 60 of 20 Clayton S ^t Avonmouth
598	Thomas Vowles Sarah Vowles	Augst 26 1888 Sept. 21. 1892	Earth "	76 of High Street – Shirehampton 83 " "

¹⁸³ The *warth*, or marshland beyond the (Severn) sea wall, overflowed by the highest tides; the word is often interchanged with *wharf* in local records.

	Alfred John Vowles	Died 9/10/41 Buried 14/10/41	Grave full	75 Priory Road Shirehampton
599	Julia Pearson	Janry 11 th 1889	Earth	56 of the Batch Shirehampton
600	Rosaline Louisa Peck Edwin Peck	April 24 th 1889 Nov. 12. 1904	Earth "	70 of Lamplighters 69, " Reserved for Miss Coleman Avon View CWD
601	Dorothy Codrington	Dec.15.1890	Earth	5 weeks, child of M ^r Codrington, High St. Shirehampton
602	Thomas Hy Western	De Jan 21. 1891	Earth	45 Sailor dropped dead at Avonmouth
603	Alice Elizabeth Curtis	Jan. 21 st 1892	Earth	8 months, Avonview Terrace, Sh.
604	Rose Paddon William Paddon Elizabeth Ann Paddon	March 18. 1891 15/7/20 November 25 th 1927	Earth	10, Clayton Street Avonmouth 90 Bristol 85
605	Joseph Hill Elizabeth Hill Ann Sparrow	March 12 th 1889 Nov. 14 th 1889 April 13. 1899	Earth " "	80 Landlord of Public House in Pembroke Road ¹⁸⁴ 83 Widow of the Above. 83, of Henbury
606	^Rev^ Thomas Barrett ¹⁸⁵	Decr 28 th 1888	Earth	79 Station Road
607	Ellen Crick John Crick	Nov 14 th 1888 Jany 3 rd 1889	Earth Earth	47 Landlady [overwriting [illegible]] of the George Inn 49 Husband of the Above Landlord of the George Inn
608	Robert Webb Thomas Henry Webb Emma Webb	Sept 16 th 1888 Jan 31. 1890 Jan. 3 rd 1914	Earth Earth Earth	68 of 4 Bradly [sic] Crescent 29, Son of the above, of Avonmouth 85, died in Eastville Workhouse ¹⁸⁶
609	William Albert Rogers	July 1888	Earth	21 months of Lead Works
610	Eliza Wring	Dec' 18 1887	Earth	86 of Avonmouth
611	James Bindon	Aug 7 th 1887	Earth	49 of Avonmouth
612	Henry Geater	July 10 th 1887	Earth	52 of Avonmouth

¹⁸⁴ The Rising Sun.

¹⁸⁵ Retired vicar of Sarn, Newtown, Montgomeryshire (National Probate Calendar, 1 March 1889), connection with Shirehampton unknown. He had a son in Iron Acton.

¹⁸⁶ i.e. 100 Fishponds Road, the Barton Regis Union Workhouse.

	Charlotte Geater	Febr.4.1900	"	67, 9 King Street, Avonmouth
	Charlotte Emily Bailey	June 24.1900	full	41, Avonmouth
613	Arthur Lewis Davis	May 15 th 1887	Earth	2 Son of William Davis Junr
	William Edward Coombs	Oct. 27.1901	"	4 months, child of Albert Coombs
614	Mabel Mary Jenkins John Jenkins	May 10 th 1887 March 24/1915	Earth "	15 months 66 of the Lower Village Shirehampton <i>N.B. Insert 7 Graves numbered – 614.A., 614.B., 614.C., 614.D., 614.E., 614.F., 614.G. (Pages IX. XI.) between this Grave and the Path. N.B. Insert 5 only as there is not space enough for 7.</i>
615	<< Border next to Street Sarah Biddle	1881	Earth	48 Wife of Capt Moses Biddle ¹⁸⁷
	Moses Biddle	April 20. 1899	"	67, Park Hill Villas
616	<< Border next to Street Sarah Hamer	1885	Earth	47 of Bradly
617	<< Border next to Street Jemima May Wedmore William Wedmore	Jan 2. 2892 March 23. 1897	Earth "	74, Station Road 84, Station Road
	Anne Jemima Wedmore James Wedmore	Nov. 14. 1898 Nov 25 1918	"	57, Station Road
618	Caroline Fisher	December 1878	Earth	Widow – sister in law of M ^{rs} Admiral Bowen
619	Emily Pullen	1877	Earth	22 – daughter of John Pullen – Grocer
	Sarah Pullen	Sept. 4. 1891	"	72 – Wife of John Pullen, High Street
	John Pullen	Oct. 27. 1891	"	68 High Street, Shirehampton
	John Pullen <u>full A.J.H.</u>	Feb. 6 th 1894	"	42 High Street, Shirehampton
620	Elizabeth Newton	1876	Earth	48 – Widow of M ^r Lane – married George Newton Jun ^r – Lamplighter's H.
	Thomas Jesse Lane George Newton	1883 Febr. 21. 1895	– –	22 Son of the above 51. Beech Villa Shirehampton

¹⁸⁷ Sloop owner (Wright's 1880: 388).

621	James Teague	Sept: 19. 1877	Brick	79 – relation of S. Perriman – died in London
	Hester Teague	Nov 27 th 1885	–	92 Wife of the Above
622	Fanny Pitt	Nov.16.1877	Brick	51 – wife of Mr Pitt of Powder Magazine
	John Gale Pitt	June 23 – 1906	do	77 – Husband of above.
	Jane Pitt	December 13 th – 1909	"	Once Churchwarden
	Walter John Pitt	May 26 1923	"	" – second wife of the above
623	Maggie Gertrude Handcock	May 1. 1878	Earth	58 Son of J. & F. Pitt
	Horace Douglas Handcock	Apr 17 - 1886	–	8 months, child of M ^r Handcock ¹⁸⁸ – son of M ^r Handcock Superintendent of Police Bristol
624	Margaret Mary Prudhoe	1878	Earth	20 months of Bristol
	William Prudhoe	Dec 25. 1889	–	12 months, child of M ^r Prudhoe Engineer Hydraulic Engine Avonmouth ¹⁸⁹
	Daisy Prudhoe	April 25 1903	–	47. of Richmond Terr. Avonmouth
	Edward Prudhoe	Oct Nov 1. 1919 grave full		16 – of 5 Elder Villa Avonmouth
625	Herbert William Kelsey	1878	Earth	71. – 13 Collins Street, Avonmouth
	Edith Henrietta Kelsey	1880		5 – son of Kelsey, Avonmouth formerly Cooper
626	Henry Grigg	1880	Brick	3 sister of above Grave full
	Alicia Grigg	1897	"	80 – father of E.S. Grigg Esq ^r – Narford House – Shirehampton
	Emma Orton Bamford	22 nd July 1899	"	Wife of E.S. Grigg Esq. 42 Aberdeen R ^d Redland
627	William Simmonds	1880	Earth	Sister of above
	Eliza Simmonds	Oct 11 th 1898 1918	"	59 – formerly Scripture Reader at Westbury, latterly kept a shop here
	Eva Ann Simmonds	March 24 1932		87. Died at 625 Gloucester Road, Bristol
628	Mary Coleman	1878	Earth	84
629	Alfred Robert Wardman	1880	Earth	60 – wife of Thomas Coleman

¹⁸⁸ Frederick Handcock of Park Hill Villas (1881 census).

¹⁸⁹ i.e. a lock gate engineer.

630	Priscilla Hayward Mary Ann Amelia Hayward Henry Hayward	1883 4/7/1934 30/12/35	Earth Head Stone with edging	36 wife of Engine driver on P. P. Raily ¹⁹⁰ 75 Wife of H Hayward Pembroke Rd 93
631	Harriet Sealy Shaw William Edgar Shaw	1883 Nov. 8 1908	Earth Earth	46 Avonmouth 24, Avonmouth
632	James Adlam Elizabeth Hack <i><< large + in column 1</i>	1883 Febr. 8 1903	Earth "	85 M ^{rs} C. Hack's Father 69, High Street, Shirehampton enquire for Sarah Hack aged 80 about (Park Road)
633	Fredrick G. Hathrell Mabel Annie Hatherell Elizabeth Hatherell Albert Hatherell Alfred Hatherell	1883 May 10 th 1894 May 17 th 1916 February 19 1927 January 16 1931	Earth — Grave full	1 Son of Alfred Hathrell 13 months daughter " " 60 40 " " 78
634	Thomas C. Gibbons	1883	Earth	3 months Avonmouth
635	Edward Jesse Screen Jesse Screen	1883 Nov. 8. 1906	Earth Earth	1½ from Bottle works 54 60 Oak Road. Bristol
636	Caroline Uzzell	1884	Earth	3
637	William Clement Elliott Sarah Elliott Henry Charles Hack Eva Hack	1884 Feb. 6. 1903 April 8 th 1929 Feb. 28 th 1952	Earth " "	56 76, Pembroke R ^d Shirehampton 73 92
638	George Webb John Francis Kezia Francis Agnes Mary Reilley Charles Robert Reilley	1879 1884 1896 1898 Jan. 1911	Earth Earth " " "	23 son of David Webb Avonmouth, (headstone) Gloucester R ^d Avonmouth, 76 Royal Hotel Avonmouth, 26 8 Brunswick Place, Hotwells (63)
639	Francis Vowles Catherine Mewton [sic] George Newton John Newton	1878 1884 March 1 st 1887 1914	Earth Earth —	59 Killed by a fall on board the S.S. Somerset in Avonmouth Dock brother to M^{rs} Cornelius Bridle, whose grave is opposite in the Border 77 72 Husband of the above 66
640	x [pencil] George West	1879	Earth	33 Landlord of 'George Inn'

¹⁹⁰ Bristol Port Railway and Pier Co.

	Charlotte Huxtable George Edward Payne Sarah Ann Lavons ¹⁹¹	1883 22/8/1902 7/12/1910	Earth Earth Earth	69 36 70 – Lived at 105 Bradley Crescent Shirehampton 74 ditto
	George Lavons	12 th June, 1912	"	
641	George Webb Edith Annie Webb David Webb Patience Webb Margaret Jane Webb	1879 1885 Janry 5 th 1889 October 22. 1899 May 21. '04	Earth – – – –	23 Son of David Webb 4 Neice [sic] of Thom[?] the G. Webb Above 66 74 Pembroke Road 2, Park Road
642	Francis Vowels [sic] Caroline Vowels [sic]	1878 1885	Earth –	59 58 – Wife of the above
643	George West	1879	Earth	33 Landlord of George Inn
644	Mary Hannah Chubb	1881	Earth	41 2 nd Wife of M. Chubb Shop Keeper
645	Elizabeth Ann Thomas Fredrick Thomas William Thomas Mildred Thomas	1882 Apr 30 th 1887 Jan 29. 1895 Nov. 26. 1897	Earth – – –	5 3 55. High Street Shirehampton 5 months " "
646	Sarah Ambler Thomas Ambler William Ambler	1882 May 11 th 1887 Feb ^r 1 st 1888	Earth £– –	57 Kingsweston 2 Grand child of the above 79 Husband of the above
647	Elizabeth Sykes	1882	Earth	37 from Bottle works
648	Percy Bramham Tate	1882	Earth	6
649	from Bottle Works			
650	Ann Welchman Martha Stride << Joshua Bartlett 650 A	1883 1920	Earth –	83 – Mother of one of the M ^{rs} Stride's ¹⁹² of West Bradley N ^r Glastonbury <i>N.B. Insert 8 Graves numbered 650.A., 650.B., 650.C., 650.D., 650.E., 650.F., 650.G., 650.H. (Pages VIII. XV.) between this Grave and the Path [The above X'd through] <u>N.B. Inserted 1 only</u> There is only 2 (650) Reckon from the Back lane</i>

¹⁹¹ Other records have *Lavous*. The surname is hard to explain either way.

¹⁹² Several members of the well-known Stride family of builders lived in Station Road in the later nineteenth century. Ann Welchman was the mother of Martha, wife of Alfred Stride. See also graves 208 and 538.C.

651	Thomas James Osman Harold Hubert Osman <i>STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS FIRST 4 COLUMNS ———</i> << 651 A. Francis Robert Poole Amelia Poole Elsie Poole Ella Louisa Poole this grave at foot of Osmans	1881 26 th May 1907 October 20 th 1930 Dec 3 rd 1931 Feb. 21 st 1952 1882	Earth Earth	1 80 Station Rd Shirehampton 82 School House Stoke Bishop 64 9 months Daughter of Telegraph Clerk
652	Sarah Lloyd	1885	Earth	64 Wife of John Lloyd at the bottom of Village
653	Susanna Clark << 653. A. Emma Collings ¹⁹³	1867 1874	Brick Flat bevelled Stone enclosed in Railings Brick – Flat Stone enclosed in Railings	84 Half sister to Miss Collings 73
654	William Cornish << 654 ^A . << Extra Grave between M ^r Cornish & M ^{rs} O'Connor ¹⁹⁴ Frank Burroughes Norgate	1868 1890	Earth Head Stone Earth	82 – formerly servant to M ^{rs} Collings 64. Formerly Churchwarden of Shirehampton
655	Edith Mary Norgate Herbert Edward Norgate	1868 1884	Earth –	6 months – Child of F. B. Norgate Esq. Churchwarden 17 Son of the Above
656	Francis Dod <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ~~~~~</i> << 656. ^A Grave lying N. & S. Sarah Foot	1869 March 26. 1898 Feb 14 1907 ¹⁹⁵	Earth Flat Stone Earth	68 – Died at Chapel House where he had been lodging seven [??? or some] months 3 Meadow Street, Avonmouth, 88
657	Ann Elizabeth O'Connor	1868	Brick	62

¹⁹³ The provider of the money for the Church-Yard Book project (see the vicar's preamble).

¹⁹⁴ Grave 657.

¹⁹⁵ Date of the note "full" in "depth above coffin" column, occasion not known.

	<i>PECKED LINE ACROSS COLUMNS 2-6 - - - - -</i> << 657.A John Foot	1897	Raised Bevelled Stone	
658	William Lock	1867	Brick Raised Bevelled Stone	10 days. Battery Farm 64
659	Gertrude Harriet Stocqueler ¹⁹⁶ Harriet Williams	1872 1876	Brick	30 – Lodging at M ^{rs} Verrey's ¹⁹⁷ 66 – Mother of above, died at Clevedon
660	Frances Mary Thomas James Thomas	1873 1877	Brick	38 – Wife of Farmer Thomas of Barrow Hill Farm daughter of William Lock 47 – husband of above
661	William Waters William Waters Ellen Waters	1873 1879 —	Earth	died at Lamplighter's aged 77 – late Captain of the 'Wye' Steamer at Chepstow ¹⁹⁸ 46 – son of above – Coal merchant Hungroad } 42 wife of above } buried same day – died at Totterdown
662	Arthur Stevens	1873	Earth Head Stone	Police Constable – 33. died of fever
663	Richard Tyrrell Pope Richard Shackleton Pope ¹⁹⁹ Sarah Lawrence Pope Thomas Shackleton Pope ²⁰⁰	1873 1884 1903 1909	Brick Vault This grave was re-opened on June 12 th 1924 for a further interment & found to full [sic]	Son of R. S. Pope 41 92 Father of the Above 67 Berkeley Road Westbury-on-Trym 79 Belmont Berkeley road Westbury Park

¹⁹⁶ The Bristolian (estranged?) wife of the painter Edwin Roper Loftus Stocqueler (1829-95).

¹⁹⁷ Mary Verry, lodging-house keeper in "The Village" (1891 census).

¹⁹⁸ Probably the "little Chepstow packet [that] became the first steamship completely fitted out in Bristol" (Farr 1971: 12).

¹⁹⁹ R. S. Pope was one of the major architects of Victorian Bristol, responsible for many buildings including St Mary on the Quay (now Roman Catholic) church, Colston Avenue, and the dockside warehouse now known as the Arnolfini arts centre. See also Coates (2022).

²⁰⁰ T. S. Pope, Richard's son, was in practice with his father. His buildings include what is now Canynge Hall, University of Bristol, in Whatley Road, Clifton.

664	Benjamin Abel Jayne Susannah Keegan Charles Keegan age 78	1874 1888 Age 15 Oct 19 th [??] 20 1920	Brick Vault Flat Stone	61 Parish Clerk – Secretary of Club ²⁰¹ 71 Wife of the Above
665	Maria Bridle Lionel Bridle Henry Pretty	1874 1880 31 st August 1911	Brick Vault	69 – wife of Lionel Bridle Beer shop keeper 59 – retired Beershop keeper, a Mason 71
666	William John Curry Ernest Lee John Curry Robert William Neate William Jayne Neate	1874 1875 1880 May 8 1887 July 21. 1889	Earth – –	3 months – son of John Curry 5 – adopted from Union ²⁰² 32 – father of above 3 35. 3 Bradley Crescent. <u>Grave full</u>
667	James Coleman	1874	Earth	26 - A mason [??] – killed on the Docks – son of Coleman - gardener
668	Clara Poole Mary Ann Poole << X	1875 1875	Earth	17 – daughter of George Poole 5 sister of above
669	Raban			
670	Harriet Street Emily Marshman	1875 1879	Earth	65 – Mother of Emily Street 61 – sister to Harriet Street
671	Arthur J. Hack Fredrick George Hack John Adams Hack Eleanor Hack room for one more	1876 1886 Dec 22 1918 Feb 23 1923	Earth – – –	1 – child of John Hack 3 child of the above Pembroke Road 74 " " 77
672	Mary Theophile Cox { [bracketed with next]	August 16 th 1892	Earth	53, 40 Royal York Crescent Clifton
673	{ Frederick Cox	August 15 1893	Earth	64, 4 Royal York Crescent Clifton
674	[blank]			
675	[blank]			
676	Sarah Elizabeth S ^t Leger [obliterated] Atkins	Jan 15 th 1895	Earth	Mother of M ^{rs} Moore, Penlea

²⁰¹ Perhaps the Benefit Society, one of the Thrift Clubs, or the Shepherds' Club, which was a men's club (Thomas 1993a: 172, 196).

²⁰² i.e. as an orphan from the Clifton (from 1877 Barton Regis) Union workhouse.

	Louisa Pelitot ²⁰³ S ^t Leger Moore George Moore [NB 676 680 are accompanied by a sparse handwritten insert, presumably notes by the vicar to himself, on the back of an order of service for 1 August 1948.] ²⁰⁴	Jan 2. 1901 Mar. 2 nd 1914	" "	55, Penlea, Shirehampton 86. Penlea, Shirehampton
677	Robert Bruce Raban Jane Raban No 12A ²⁰⁵ aged 79 years Henrietta Cockburn Raban No 138 in Burials Register aged 9 years Sophia Raban Sept 30 th aged 87 years [bracketed with next two, with words in the number column: << { Entrance to Vault is under cover Stone in Path.}]	1878 1880 1880 1897	Vault Brick Vault written vertically down 677-678	84. Commander R.N. lived at 'Priory' ²⁰⁶ 79 – sister of above 9 – grand niece of above 87, Priory House
678	{ Lilian Jane Raban ²⁰⁷ aged 83 years	Augt 19 th 1948		
679	{ [blank]			
680	Isabella Godfrey	1884	Earth	77 Died at Chapel House
681	Blank [pencil]			
682	<< Mrs Box 29 Kings Squ Stokes Croft Alfred E John Box Alfred James Box Julian Margaret Langley Hunt Mead Marthy [sic] Mary Box	1883 Dec. 29 ⁼ /16 ^1916^ Dec 1 st 1926 March 11 th 1934	Earth "	11 lived at Avon Hhouse [sic] 72 " " Hope Square, Clifton 75 Clifton

²⁰³ Apparently a revival of a medieval surname *Peletot* recorded mainly in Hertfordshire.

²⁰⁴ See Appendix, 676-680.

²⁰⁵ Note the numbered references to the Burials Register; compare grave 407.

²⁰⁶ Potentially misleading entry; the Rabans lived at Priory House, on the corner of Pembroke Road and Waverley Road (as correctly below in this entry), not at the large house called *The Priory*.

²⁰⁷ Aunt of author Evelyn Waugh, who attended her funeral and expressed a low opinion of the architecture of the church, though higher of the vicar and vicarage (Waugh 1976: 698-699; Thomas 2002: 143-145).

683	Elizabeth Bridle	1875 [5 <i>overwriting 3</i>]	Earth	Wife of Cornelius J. Bridle Mason
684	Henry Peard Reed	1875	Earth	Coal Merchant, &c &c – Avon House ²⁰⁸
685	Webb Anne Henry Webb Thomas Webb	1875 1885 June 15. 1902	Earth – –	40, wife of Henry Webb 52, Husband of the above 76
686	Sage, George H. Emily Ada Studley	1875 24 th May 1912	Earth "	4. grandson of Hambler ²⁰⁹ 8. By permission
687	Brown, Charles J. Brown, Tryphena Brown, Lelia Brown, William Harvey	1876 Febr. 25. 1901 Nov: 5 th 1907 Feb. 24 th . 1915	Earth " "	38 – Station Master, Port & Pier R. 67, aged Yatton, Somerset 42. Poppleton, York
688	Harvey Lydia Sarah --- William	1876 1880	Earth	80 – wife of ch. Keeper ch. Gamekeeper 80 – husband of above
689	Albert Edward Warry Jane Warry Eliel Warry ²¹⁰	1876 1914 Jan. 7 th 1915	Earth " "	9 weeks – son of the Blacksmith 76 – mother of above 81 – husband of Jane Warry
690	Kate Burge George Busby Taylor – Put down wrong Blanche Burge << full	Mar. 27 1887 1877 June 30 1889	Earth –	22 of Avonmouth 37 a retired Bank Manager lodged at Perriman's ²¹¹ – 26 of Avonmouth 15 Richmond Terrace ²¹²
691	George Busby Taylor	1877 [overwriting 1879]	Earth	37
692	<< bracketed 692-694 For Capt Tozer's Vault Catherine Price Tozer	Dec 26 1891	Earth	Intended for a Vault 87, Narford House Shirehampton
693	<< bracketed 692-694 For Capt Tozer's Vault Ivan Harold Tozer	Nov 14 th 1887	Brick	Intended for a Vault 6 weeks Son of Capt. Tozer of Narford House
694	<< bracketed 692-694 For Capt Tozer's Vault			Intended for a Vault

²⁰⁸ Probably 93 Station Road, a lodging-house; compare graves 428 and 682.

²⁰⁹ i.e. Ambler; compare graves 229, 335, 646.

²¹⁰ The blacksmith, father of Albert, working at Park Road smithy then at 2 Pembroke Road. He made the railings surrounding the *Wellingtonia gigantea* on The Green for the Golden Jubilee in 1887.

²¹¹ Perrimans ran a lodging-house in Park Hill; cf. grave 182.

²¹² Address written above *Avonmouth* but probably not belonging to previous burial.

	Morgan Price Smith Tozer	May 4 th 1898	Earth	66, Narford House, Shirehampton
695	George Veal	Feb. 8 th 1893	Earth	47, High Street, Shirehampton
	Hannah Mary Veal	Feb. 18. 1931		Died at Reading
696	Phyllis Bessie Stonestreet	Aug. 17. 1897	Earth	14 months d. of M ^r Stonestreet, Custom House Officer
697	Mary Melinda Kelsey	Aug. 22 nd 1897	Earth	54 1 Meadow St. Avonmouth
	Maude Pope	Jan ^y 13 th 1910	"	25, 12 Green Lane Avonmouth
	Arthur Kelsey	June 11 1916		74 Meadow St. Avonmouth
698	Leonard Charles Jones	Sept. 15. 1897	Earth	5 months, The Batch, Shirehampton
	William George Jones	February 1 st 1930		63 The Batch. "
	Elizabeth Ann Jones	24/9/1938		77 2 Penpole Place "
699	Elizabeth Barnes	Sept. 18. 1897	Earth	63 High Street, Shirehampton
700	[blank]			
701	[blank]			
702	[blank]			
703	[blank]			
704	[blank]			
705	[blank]			
706	Philip John Chaplin Sarah Chaplin Edward James Chaplin Edith Sarah Hacker	Nov 14 th 1886 Nov: 20. 1904 Nov: 18. 1906 Aug. 26, 1909	Earth " " "	Buried in border near the Main Street 51 of Lamplighters 66, " 28, son of above 36
707	William Peters	Feb. 4. 1892	Earth	70, 1 Crown Terrace, Shirehampton
	Harriet Peters	April 14. 1893	"	73 " " "
708	John Davis Ann Davis	April 15. 1893 Dec. 28. 1898	Earth "	81, Lower Shirehampton 84 " "
	<< Room for <u>one</u> [pencil]			
709	[blank]			
710	[blank]			
711	[blank]			
712	[blank]			
713	[blank]			
714	[blank]			
715	[blank]			
716	[blank]			
717	[blank]			
718	[blank]			

719	[blank]			
720	[blank]			
721	Charles Champ Rosa Bessie Champ Louisa Champ	July 22 nd 1894 Aug. 26. 1899 April 6 th 1907	Earth " "	High S ^t Shirehampton 52 Pembroke R ^d Shirehampton 6 months
722	Diana Abley	Sept. 9 th 1894	Earth	Bradley Crescent, Shirehampton 83
723	John Stone	Sept. 12 th 1894	Earth	Park Road Shirehampton, 39
724	Sarah Duckett Tom Duckett	Nov. 16. 1894 Feb. 26. 1898	Earth "	The Batch Shirehampton 54 Pembroke R ^d Shirehampton 55 husband of above
725	Thomas Grey May Ann Hellings Martha Grey	Jan 5 th 1895 Oct. 13. 1900 Nov. 17 th 1915	Earth " "	Park Hill Farm Shirehampton, 82 24 Broadmead Bristol, 32 Wife of Thomas Grey (above) 80
726	[Column headed: 4 th Row from Path] Hannah Eliza Millard Herbert William Millard Elizabeth Millard	Febr. 5. 1895 March 14 1898 Jan. 11 1908	Earth " "	32 Bradley Crescent. 29 4 Bradley Crescent, 10 13 Victoria Buildings Southmead Westbury on Trym <u>84</u>
727	<< [unclear in circle: In??] 721 – 7.30 [pencil] James Maggs	March 31 1895	Earth	King Street, Avonmouth. 64
728	Ann Larcomb Sarah & Anne Larcombe	June 5. 1895 Oct. 27. 1902	Earth "	Hungrood Cottages, Shirehampton. 50 " " " 23
729	Emily Ella Hardwick	December 18. 1895	Earth	Clairville, Shirehampton. 32
730	Thomas Edwin James Edwin Fowler Mary Ann Fowler	Jan. 11. 1896 March 8 th 1896 Jan 10. 1904	Earth " "	22 Meadow St. Avonmouth 18 months " " " 62 " " " 72
731	Patience Annie Louise Cole Walter Henry Cole	Jan 19 th 1896 May 11. 1899	Earth "	Clayton Street Avonmouth 3 months Victoria Terrace, ^West Town^ Shirehampton 3 days
732	Amelia Elms Temperance Elizabeth Howell William Howell	July 10 th 1896 June 9 th 1899 April 4 th 1906	Earth " "	Marine Hotel, Avonmouth 69 7 Belmont Street, Bristol, 60 9 Robertson Road Easton

733	Rosina Bishop Charles James Bishop	Aug: 8. 1896 May 6 th 1911	Earth	West Town. 35
734	William Wheeler	Aug: 11 th 1896	Earth	Lower Village, Shirehampton, 32 buried by the parish
735	Beatrice Alice Buck William James Buck << Room for 1 More Clara Grace Buck << x Full up	Sept. 1 st 1896 18.11.1946 26.11.1953	Earth	Avonmouth. 2 5 East St Avonmouth 81 5 East S ^t Avonmouth. 91
736	Harriet Matthews Elizabeth Elsie Florence Hooper Thomas Simon Matthews Grave full	Oct.16.1896 May 10 th 1907 Nov 27 th 1921	Earth	56 Pembroke Road, Shirehampton
737	Edith Webb	Dec.26.1896	Earth	3 months. Lower Village, Shirehampton
738	William Boundy	Jan [2 nd <i>overwritten</i>] 9 th 1897	Earth	40, Avonview Terrace
739	Susan Knapton Elisha Knapton	Febr. 6 th 1897 May 25 th 1915	Earth "	53. The Avenue, Shirehampton 77. Barrow Hill. Husband of above
740	William Alfred Thomas Parsons Sidney John Parsons	Feb. 13 th 1897 Mar 31 st 1902	Earth Earth	5 months, 30 King St. Avonmouth 4 30 King S ^t Avonmouth
741	Alice Sarah Elizabeth Andrews Albert Edward Andrews Louisa Andrews Annie Blanche Andrews Thomas Andrews	Febr. 21 st 1897 Jan: 29 th 1903 March 10 th 1907 Nov ^r 2 nd 1907 Dec 6 1941	Earth " " "	2, 17 Meadow Street Avonmouth 3 months. Avonmouth 40, 17 Meadow Street Avonmouth 16, 44 King S ^t Avonmouth 76 6 Napier Rd Do
742	Gertrude May Parker George Parker Alec Leslie Small William George Small Sarah Parker	Feb 28 1897 June 19 th 1909 November 25 1909 December 24 1910 June 9 th 1930	Earth " " " "	7, 16 Richmond Terrace 60, 2 Port View Avonmouth 6 months, 2 Port View Avonmouth 4 " " " " 70 41 Cook St "
743	Elizabeth Chappelle Joseph William Chappelle	March 25. 1897 Nov. 25 [<i>overwriting</i> 20]. 1899	Earth "	43, Lamplighters, Shirehampton 46 " "
744	Susan Catherine Mary James Susan Caroline Mary James	March 29. 1897 May 7 th 1897	Earth "	29, West Town, Shirehampton 6 weeks " "

	Norah Bell James	Dec. 13 th 1908	"	6, 88 Bradley Crescent
745	Benjamin Collins	May 13 1897	Earth	76, 6 Richmond Terrace Avonmouth – M ^{rs} Morris Father
	Thomas Morris	Nov.16.1902	"	52, 6 Richmond Terrace
746	Philip John Chaplin Charlotte Hinder	Nov 14 1886 July 13 th 1897	Earth Earth	51 69. 5, King Street, Avonmouth
	William Hinder	April 2 nd 1905	"	65, 8, Glass Street, Shirehampton
747	Eliza Hill	July 24. 1897	Earth	41 Pembroke R ^d Shirehampton
	James Arthur Hill	2-1-1939	"	83 2 Avonview Cottages Pembroke Rd Do
	Anne Elizabeth Hill	4 12. 1940	" Room for one	84 Do Do
748	Susanah Jane White	Aug.6. 1897	Earth	66, Bradley Crescent
	Frederick White	Oct 19. 1898	"	11 days, " "
	William Henry Millard	Sept. 3 rd 1910	"	56, Easton, Bristol
749	William Wallace Thomson	Aug. 14 1897	Earth	74, father of Captain Thomson, Twyford House
	Louisa Ann Thomson	May 18 th 1910	"	82. Wife of the above
750	[blank]			
751	[blank, and so down to 800 except:]			
791	[Column headed:] Children's graves Andrew Douglas	Sept.28.1895	At foot of 683	2, Park Road, Shirehampton
	Alice Ford	Febr.5.1896	" 683	1½ days, 30 Bradley Crescent, "
	Frederick Ernest Bleaken	May.17 th 1896	" 683	2, Pembroke Road, Shirehampton
	William Douglas	Febr.24.1897	" 683	2, Park R ^d Shirehampton
	Albert Charles Wakely	June 12. 1897	" 684	2 months The Bank, Shirehampton
792	Alfred George Parsons	Sep 30. 1897	" 687	one month 11 King St. Avonmouth

Beyond printed 800, a new system starts. Where 801-5 would be expected, we find 8.A – 8.E, all blank. The recto is headed [page] I [i.e. roman 1]. The headings of columns 1-4 are printed; columns 5-6 are drawn in rather than printed, without rows, and the headings are written in.

Subsequent pages II – VI have ruled rows and columns and handwritten headings. The entries cross-refer to the main part of the Book.

Page II holds 8.F to 60.B.

Page III holds 60.C to 422.C.

Page IV holds 461.A to 499.B.

Page V holds 499.C to 538.C.

Page VI holds 538.D to 576.D. [NB 576.D is duplicated on p. IX.]

8.F	[blank]			
17.A	Mary Prosser Benjamin Prosser	1842 1849	Earth	71 67
29.A	Betty Word Smith	1798/9		
60.A	Elizabeth Sims Mary Ann Sims	1841 1841	Earth	2½ 4
60.B	Mary Ann Sims	1847	Earth	32
60.C	Mary Crates Mary Hillier	1857 1857	Earth	77 72
257.A	Louisa Curry William Curry	1850 1856	Earth	41 53
385.A	George Flower Mary Richards Ann Flower	1868 1878 Febr.10.1901	Earth –	28 – accidentally shot son of Thomas Flower ²¹³ 89 grandmother of above 84, Lower Village
422.A	Edith Davis Eliza Simm Ada May Davis Charles Davis << see no 418	1876 1918 1920	Earth 7ft 6" 6ft [misplaced]	8 months – son of Charles Davis 26. Daughter of Charles Davis 65
422.B	Jane Chase William Henry Perry	1875 1880	Earth	64 – Aunt of M^{rs} Perry 1 – child of W. Perry gardener
422.C	John Cook Hooper	1875	Earth	56 – Landlord of Marine Hotel Avonmouth
461.A	Thomas Lloyd <u>This grave reconing [sic] from back lane is (459)</u>	1880	Earth	63 – a carpenter died at Gloucester County Lunatic Asylum
461.B	William Prime Ann Prime <u>This grave reconing [sic] from back lane is (460)</u>	1879 1884	Earth	69 – formerly College servant to R. Cartwright ²¹⁴ – married – Ann Culverwell 79 Wife of the above

²¹³ GloucsArch coroner's inquest file C01/N/14/A/42. He was accidentally shot while rabbit hunting by Joseph Tutchter, a gardener at King's Weston (see grave 463).

²¹⁴ Richard Betton Cartwright was a curate at St Mary's before its elevation to parish church status (1830s), and a donor to parish charities (Thomas 1993a: 134). He was an MA of Queens' College, Cambridge, where W. P. must have accompanied him.

461.C	John Yeeles <u>This grave reconing [sic] from back lane is (461)</u>	1878	Earth	55
499.A	Henry John Pearse Robert Pearse	1886 Nov. 6 th 1904	Earth "	31 Avonmouth 64, Lower Village Shirehampton
499.B	George Hatherell Sarah Hatherell	1886 Nov.14.1895	Earth "	88 74. High Street, Shirehampton
499.C	[blank]			
499.D	[blank]			
538.A	William George Knock [interlined] Morgan Frank Crago	March 15/96 1890 Sept 25 1887 April 4 th 1890	Earth –	14 months 23 Richmond Terrace Avonmouth 7 months King St Avonmouth – permission was given by M ^r Nock [sic] to bury this his friend child [sic] in his grave
538.B	Mary Emma Hill [interlined] Martha Stride Samuel Herbert Lacey Hill Edward Hill Eliza Hill	Febry 24 1888 May 11 th 1887 Sept 18 1918 Nov 1 1923 Dec 31 1935	Earth Earth	11 months child of M ^r Hill – Greengrocer of Station road 64 22 Bradley Avenue. 26 Do. 41 Priory Rd Shirehampton
538.C	Martha Stride Edmund Stride	May 11 th 1887 March 20. 1901	Earth "	64 of Station Road 76, of Station Road
538.D	[blank]			
538.E	[blank]			
576.A	Peter Lawson Fanny Hanson Emma Lawson	April 27. 1895 Feb 14 th 1907 March 11 1927	Earth "	Meadow Street Avonmouth, 58 Eastville Workhouse ²¹⁵ Bristol. 40 17 St Mark's Place Bath 83
576.B	George Henry Hack Mary Ann Hack Alfred Hack	June 28. 1895 August 30 th 1926 March 11 1927	Earth	High Street Shirehampton, 55 9 High Street Shirehampton 82 Do
576 C	Susan Wright	July 7 th 1895	Earth	Park Road Shirehampton. 67

²¹⁵ i.e. the Barton Regis Union workhouse, 100 Fishponds Road, Easton.

576.D	William Wright	October 8 th 1910	"	Eastville Infirmary, Bristol. ²¹⁶ 77
	Mary Ann Atkins	July 22. 1896	Earth	24 Richmond Ter: Avonmouth 78
	Annie Lillian Atkins	May 20 1909	Earth	24 Richmond Ter. Avonmouth. 19
	<u>[Next to M. A. Atkins:]</u>			<u>[overwriting 29]</u>
	<u>Error on 576E [pencil]</u>			

Page VII, hand-ruled and -written, using five columns not six and omitting burial depths, is headed:

List of Graves enclosed in Building the New North Aisle and Porch – the owners of which are entitled to fresh Graves without the fee for breaking ground

No.	Name	When Buried	Age	Remarks
1	Thomas Hillier	1823	33	This Grave belongs to the family of the Hillier's
	Emma White	1844	23	
	John Palmer	1853	78	A Pensioner
	Elizabeth Palmer	1856	75	
2	Hannah Garrett	1821		Father & Mother of M ^{rs} Rodway to whom this grave belonged
	Samuel Garrett	1841	77	
3	William Hillier	1851	70	This grave was closed by a Drain being made on a part of it – it belongs to the Hilliers
4	Joseph Silcox	1846	76	This grave is under the Vestry
5-7	[blank]			

Page VIII is blank.

Pages IX – XVI resume the six-column format of the main book.

Pages IX – X hold 576.D to 614.B. [NB 576.D is duplicated on p. VI.]

Pages XI – XII hold 614.C to 614.G.

Pages XIII – XIV hold 650.A to 650.E.

Pages XV – XVI hold 650.F to 650.H plus 422.C.

576.D	Arthur Leonard May	Febr. 28. 1896	Earth	22 months. Avonview Terrace
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²¹⁶ i.e. the infirmary attached to the Barton Regis Union workhouse.

	Elizabeth Lydia May	Dec 31 1937		73 13 Stokeleigh Walk Sea Mills
	Albert Samuel May	8 th Aug 1944	Now full	74 Do Do
576.E	Mary Ann Atkins	July 22 nd 1896	Earth	24 Richmond Ter: Avonmouth. 78
	Annie Lillian Atkins	May 20 th 1909		" " " " " 19
	<< 576 [deleted]>			
576.F	Fanny Elizabeth Dix	Dec 9 th 1896	Earth	Sunny Hill Shirehampton. 60
614.A	William Leach	Apr 28 th 1887	Earth	11 months of ^Brick yard^ Gate House on Railway Line
	Henrietta Leach	Sept.11.1889	Earth	3 months of " " "
	Henrietta Leach	May 17.1900	Earth	53, 8 Crown Terrace
	George Leach	March 30 1913	Earth	74, West Town
	Walter Leach	Feb. 10 1915	Earth	30, West Town
614.B	Mary Hannah Lousia [sic] Cook	Feb 22 nd 1887	Earth	12 of Avonmouth
	Rosina, Ellen Jane Cook	Dec. 9 th 1908	"	33, 42 Bradley Crescent
	George Cook	1914	"	Penpole Avenue
614.C	Elizabeth Judge	Jany 31 1887	Earth	90 of Avonmouth
614.D	Elizabeth Bennett	^Jany 27^ 1887	Earth	84 Mother of M ^{rs} Henry Painter
	Julia Hannah Painter	3/1/1927		67 Wife of Thomas Henry Painter 17 Walton Rd
	Thomas Henry Painter	Sept 20 1929		68 17 Walton Rd Shirehampton
614.E	Anne Langley	1886	Earth	70
	Susanna Whitefoord ²¹⁷	1916		73
614.F	<u>Close to Road</u> , a little West of M ^r Poole's Marble tombstone			
	Louisa Catherine Robinson	Jan 18. 1893	Earth	42, Eton Villa, Avonmouth
614.G	[blank]			
650.A				<i>There is 2 only numbered <u>650</u> & <u>650 A</u></i>
	Joshua Bartlett	1884	Earth	44
	Amelia Ware	1890	Earth	39 Wife of the above
	George Henry Ware	1925	"	66
	Minnie Box	July 7 th 1947		71
650.B	Wilfred Rothney Chubb	Dec. 10 th 1894	Earth	High Street Shirehampton, 5 months
	Charles James Chubb	Aug 10 th 1910	"	" " " " 7 days

²¹⁷ Susannah Whitefoord was the Rev. Arthur Mansfield's sister-in-law.

	<i>A FAINT VERTICAL WAVY LINE RUNS THROUGH THIS COLUMN from A to E</i>			
650.C - H	[blank]			
422.C				<i>Inserted at bottom of Page III.</i> <i>N.B. There being 2 graves on the leaf – marked respectively – 422 . 422.A. besides the two that ought to have been put in on account of the increased breadth of the ground – makes it necessary to insert this besides those inserted Page III.</i> <i>[all crossed through]</i>

Pages XVII – XXXVII are numbered but otherwise entirely blank. XXVI is duplicated.

Page XXXVIII contains the following text:

This Index is intended to facilitate reference to the Graves as marked on the Map – and in the Book – If information is required respecting any grave – this Index should be referred to, and the Number found out in the Book for particulars of persons buried therein depth of earth left and so on – and the number should be found upon the Map to show the situation of the Grave in the Churchyard –

This index was completed in September 1869 – and a red line drawn at the end of each list – to distinguish the entries made before – and those made afterwards – above the Red line, the entries will be found Alphabetically arranged – below it only the initial letters can be taken account of –

In order that the Index may not become overcrowded with names – it is desirable not to enter the names of those that shall be buried Hereafter – unless it be in a new grave – or among friends & relations of a different name –

For Graves over no 720 see entry no 551

Graves marked [red tick] now lie beneath the Church erected 1928-9 replacing the building destroyed by fire January 15th 1928. The names are now [overwriting (to be)] inscribed within the walls of the New Church CWD

Pages XXXIX – XLVII contain the alphabetical index, ordered by initial letter of surname. *This has been replaced by a new complete alphabetical index.*

Recto of final unnumbered leaf (endpaper):

N.B. In ascertaining the situation of a Grave, in the Middle Plat of the New Ground, care should be taken to count from the Path nearest the Back Lane²¹⁸ Owing to the Ground widening as it recedes from the Church – each successive row is longer than the preceding by the space of a grave – Whereas in the map, the same number of graves is shewn in each Row – The difference therefore, between the number of graves marked and those that might be made is adjusted by adding Graves at the end of the row marked with the same figure ^as the last in the Row^, but with ~~the~~ [deleted] letters of the Alphabet subjoined – as will be seen by referring to the numbers 385., 422., 461., 499., 538., 576. ----- The pages where these additional Graves are registered – are numbered in Roman Characters – and commence after No 800 – in the Book ---

²¹⁸ Now Pembroke Road.

Appendix

Separate pieces of paper are tucked into the Church-Yard Book, indicated by bullet points and ordered here by the grave numbers on the relevant page of the main text, and thereafter by a page number in roman numerals:

- 81-85

ANNE SHAW 1792 WIFE OR SISTER OF JOHN SHAW HARBOUR MASTER OF BRISTOL

- 106-110

1. A ground plan of the old church in pencil, with the high altar marked with a red ink cross; paper shaped as the external walls of the building.
2. Two printed forms, 2a and 2b, with material written on the reverse, pinned together:

2a: Shirehampton Church Census form

On reverse:

106 A & M A Grace

Monday afternoon

Edwards

Please enter Number 106

also Richards 589

in Vicars Register

2 14 6 Tiles

2 6 5/-

2 17 0

----- 533²¹⁹

Ester Wilkins}

Ann Rowe }

²¹⁹ Actually grave 530; there, Ester is Hester. No Ann Rowe appears in the Book.

2b: National Assembly of the Church of England Church Electoral Roll form

Mr T. Gould

On reverse:

For Numbers. Please

William Pritty	Dec 17 th 1934	202 or 203 106
Ellen Dowden	March 18 1935	495
Ellen Turner	May 9 1935	532
John Everett Symes	July 27 /35	552
Henry Hayward	Dec 30 /35	630
Eliza Hill	Dec 25 /35	538B
Mary Davis	Jan 13th /36	418
G. A. Collins	Sept 22 /36	214
Henry Botten	Dec 19 th /36	503
Mary S Flower	May 11 th /37	281
Elizabeth ? May	Dec 31 st /37	576D
Ernest Downs	May 5 th /38	418
Elizabeth A Jones	Sept 24 /38	698
S J. Beecham	Dec 23 /38	533
A W. Huggins	Jan 2 nd /39	373
J. A. Hill	Jan 2 nd /39	747
A E Hill	Dec 40	Do

- 576-580

PLEASE KEEP AT NO 579 in Churchyard book

P.T.O

Re – Howes PLEASE KEEP THIS IN BOOK OF CHURCHYARD NO 579

Mr Frank Howes of 52 Pembroke Road was buried in the Churchyard on April 23rd 1952. The Rev. J. Burnett²²⁰ took the funeral. Our records contain date of funeral and burial certificate but no record of the grave number.

Mrs Howes is still alive, in Manor Park Hospital²²¹ as at ~~1964~~ 1966. She wishes to be buried in the Church yard.

From the Baptism register of 1882 I see that Frank Howes was son of William and Emma Howes, whose family grave is no. 579. This grave is by the High St. wall about

²²⁰ Assistant curate 1949-1953.

²²¹ A former Bristol Corporation of the Poor workhouse in Manor Road, Fishponds, originally a prisoner of war hostel from the Napoleonic Wars; from 1870 a lunatic asylum, then a National Health Service hospital from 1946.

on a line with the Vicars vestry – see plan. The stone names William, Ellen and Emma Howes. I therefore assume that Frank Howes was buried there.

D L Mealand (Curate)²²²

[in another hand] 595 also Howes? JS [with a tick]²²³

- 676-680

Handwritten notes, presumably notes by the vicar to himself, on the back of an order of service for 1 August 1948.

167

298

5 Frederick Case [??]

676 Moore

7

8

90 Godfrey

- XXV - XXVI:

Buck 7.35

Additional Row

721

to

749 double-ended arrow on left of figures: Red line²²⁴

Figures apparently computing money sums or depth of soil above coffin

- XXXIV - XXXV

Plain postcard of no clear import for burials, from N. G. Jenkins to the Rev. Dixon, dated 12.12.47. Includes reference to [grave] 465A, Elizt Evans and 23 High St. Some numbers.

²²² Curate 1962-1966.

²²³ The Church-Yard Book does not record a burial of Mrs [Maude] Howes, who died in 1966. J. S. is the vicar, John Stewart Smith.

²²⁴ Referring to a mark on the plan.

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Burial depths as recorded in Column 4 of the original document

The contents of column 4, Depth (of soil) above Coffin, were omitted above for typographical reasons, but are presented here with the numbers of graves and names of occupants exactly as in the main text above. Practically all measurements are given in multiples of three inches. The smallest depth recorded is 2ft (grave 623). The information in the manuscript is very incomplete, and many cells are blank here as in the original document.

Column 1 contains the entry number in the Church-Yard Book. Column 2 contains the name(s) of the occupant(s) of the grave, re-presented here, with order and spacing largely maintained, in order to minimize any potential confusion about which burial is how deep. Column 4 [here the third column] presents the depth of soil above the coffin, where that is stated, and any other material that appears in this column. None of the footnote material that appeared in the published book reappears here.

Readers' attention is drawn especially to the very inconsistent encoding of the measurements.

There is occasionally inconsistent presentation of the material in the original, with burial depths appearing in other columns and some extraneous material in column 4. The most significant departure from the intentions, practices and structure of the original document concerns the children's graves 470 and 791.

No. [Printed entry number]	Name	Depth above Coffin
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1	Alfred Jefferis	
2	George Davis George Davis Ann Jane Bryant Davis Ann Jane Davis	
3	Edwin Jefferis Bryant Martha Leonard Bryant	
4	Maria Lippiatt Thomas Lippiatt	
5	Elizabeth Chaplin Elizabeth Maria Chaplin William Chaplin Mary Anne Chaplin Edward James Robinson	
6	William Chaplin James Robinson Sarah Ann Robinson	
7	Ruth Chaplin Sarah Kingston Philip Kingston	
8	Jemima Davis	
9	Francis Seyer Ann Seyer Elizabeth Seyer Samuel Seyer Mary Seyer	
10	Edward Richard Scott Susanna Scott Thomas Adlam Scott John Scott Ellen Lydia Coleman	
11	Michael Frederick Lee Sarson	
12	Edward Sheriff - Catherine Sheriff - Mary Sheriff -	
13	Robert John Meares	
14	Helena Willoughby	
15	Thomas Williams Right [faint pencil] Ann Williams Susan Coombs William Coombs	7' 9" 6' 9"

16	Thomas Williams Thomas Williams Ann[e?] Williams	
17	A Sailor David Williams Dorothy Williams David Henry Coombs Still-born child (female) of George Stanley } and Elsie Jane } Coombs	
18	<< Altered to 17.(A.) John Johnson Ann Johnson Philip William Johnson [interlined] << 18 John Giles	full 5' 0"
19	Edward Lee	ft 5' 0"
20	Emma Abraham	
21	Mary Ann Evans Lucy Evans Thomas Evans	ft in 3 -
22	Catharine Duncan James Marshman	4' 0"
23	Unknown [pencil]	
24	Maria Goodman	4
25	John Edgar Lovell John Warne Lovell Agnes Louisa Lovell Louisa Lovell	
26	<< 25.A Jane Rees STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ———— << 26 William Bird	ft in 4 6

27	William Bird James Bird	
28	John Winter Martha Winter	4' 6"
29	Elizabeth Cook Mary Cook	
30	Eleanor Edwards Elizabeth Edwards	
31	John Hodges Martha Hodges	
32	John Garritt	
33	Unknown <i>[pencil]</i>	
34	Unknown <i>[pencil]</i>	
35	Mary Anne Burton William Burton Jane Workman Henry Workman	
36	Ann Hort John Hort John Hort Ann Hort	
37	William Phillips Elizabeth Phillips Mary Grace Phillips	Room for one more
38	Sarah Emma Dowding Peter Dowding Mary Dowding Peter Dowding Elizabeth Dowding	
39	Unknown <i>[pencil]</i>	
40	Harriet Barton	
41	James Burton William Burton Fanny Burton	ft 8 6 6
42	Anna Elizabeth Scott Thomas Scott Hester Scott	
43	<< <i>[Altered to 46]</i> Unknown	
44	<< <i>[Altered to 43]</i> Samuel Bird Ann Bird Mary Bird	

45	<< <i>[Altered to 44]</i> Harriet Cook Jacob Cook Ann Cook	
46	<< <i>[Altered to 45]</i> Ann Cook Harriet Cook	
47	James Knox	
48	Francis Greville Sealy Anna Maria Sealy	
49	<< <i>The next [pencil]</i> <i>[blank]</i>	
50	<i>[blank]</i>	
51	<i>[blank]</i>	
52	Susanna Allen	
53	<i>[blank]</i>	
54	<i>[blank]</i>	
55	Elizabeth Yeeles John Yeeles	
56	Unknown	
57	Margaret Pocock	
58	Unknown	
59	J <i>[illegible, faint pencil]</i>	
60	Jemima Fennell	
61	Unknown	
62	Unknown	
63	Unknown	
64	John Weare Elizabeth Ware Mary Ware	5 6
65	<i>[blank]</i>	
66	<i>[blank]</i>	
67	<i>[blank]</i>	
68	<i>[blank]</i>	
69	Elizabeth Tothill Henry Thompson Dorcas Elizabeth Palmer Dorcas Palmer	

70	Isaac Davis 55 years [<i>pencil</i>] John Davis [<i>interlined</i>] } 2 grandchildren [<i>pencil</i>] James Davis } Jess[e/- ie?] Davis Sarah Davis	4 0 [over- writing 5 6 [???]]
71	Anne Shaw 2 infant sons Mary Shaw John Shaw	
72	Unknown Herbert King	
73	William Hookway	
74	Anne Miles Charles Miles Thomas Miles	
75	Ann Palmer John Palmer Sarah Palmer	
76	Edward Colston John Colston Sarah Colston Martha Jones	<u>full</u>
77	Mary Pocock Helen Pocock Lawrence Pocock	6' 0 5' 0" <u>full</u>
78	Frank Alfred Saunders Dorothy Annie Andrews	5' 0" full
79	Ann Silcocks Charles Silcocks	
80	Samuel Smith Susannah Smith	5' 0 full
81	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
82	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
83	William Barnes Elizabeth Barnes	
84	Unknown	
85	Sarah Purchas Sarah Coombes	
86	[<i>blank</i>]	
87	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	

88	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
89	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
90	Henry Hurd Edward Snook << 91 to 111 follow in reverse order [of pages, i.e. groups of 5, not entries] [<i>pencil</i>]	
91	George Richards Edwin Richards Ann Richards Sarah Richards	
92	William Richards Ann Richards	
93	Sarah Richards (2) Elizabeth Richards (1) William Richards William John Richards Julia Grace	full 3ft 3in
94	Joyce Culverwell	
95	Frances Culverwell John Culverwell Sarah Prime	
96	Samuel Coombs Elizabeth Coombs	
97	Sarah Palmer Mary Palmer William Henry Palmer	4 0
98	Eunice Williams Jane Yeeles Samuel Yeeles	
99	Edward Robe Mary Robe	
100	Sarah Sly Thomas Sly	
101	John Smith Sarah Sly	
102	William Smith	

103	Elizabeth Moore Winifred Williams Mark Williams Mark Thomas George Thomas Sarah Thomas	
104	Winifred Moore John Moore	
105	Amelia Johnstone	
106	Alfred Grace Mary Ann Grace William Pretty	6ft 4.11
107	Henry William Filer James Filer James Filer Kate Maria Howden	6 0 4' 9" full
108	James Filer Edgar Gilbert Filer Mary Ann Filer	full
109	Elizabeth Susanna Weeks Jeronomia [sic] Matilda Weeks	
110	Hannah Childs Samuel Yeeles	4ft
111	George Clark George Clark Mary Ann Clark	
112	John Bevan Thomas Green	
113	John Austin	
114	Mary Jane Perryman	
115	[blank]	
116	Unknown [pencil]	
117	James Davis	
118	Anne Rowley Mary Rowley William Rowley	6' 0" 4 6 <u>Grave</u> <u>full</u>
119	[blank]	
120	Jane Carter	
121	[blank]	
122	Susanna Hancock Susanna Miles	4 0
123	William Norman	

124	Hannah [???] [entry erased]	
125	Thomas Yeeles Thomas Thompson Yeeles Sarah Basley	
126	Mary Yeeles Samuel Yeeles Hester Yeeles	
127	Oliver Kendall James Kendall	
128	Joseph Mitchell [overwriting [erased]]	
129	Sarah Mansel Sarah West	
130	George Harvey	
131	Unknown [pencil]	
132	Unknown [pencil]	
133	Simon Harding	
134	[blank]	
135	George Thomas	
136	Unknown [pencil]	
137	Several still born children	
138	Anne Gilham	
139	William Flower Mary Flower	
140	George Flower Annie Selina Flower	
141		
142	George Jones George Jones Eleanor Jones	
143	Harriet Jones George Jones	
144	John Jones	
145	James Hobbs Sarah Fry	
146	[blank]	
147	Alfred George Stait Hannah Robbins Mark Robbins	
148	Unknown [pencil]	
149	John Hayman	
150	William Heaven James Heaven Mary Ann Heaven	

151	Joseph Cooke George Wyatt Cooke	
152	Hester Watkins James Watkins	
153	Elizabeth Jennett Eliza Jennett William Janet <i>[sic]</i>	
154	Hannah Carpenter	
155	Mark Painter William Painter <i>[faint pencil]</i>	
156	E Painter's 1 st wife <i>[pencil]</i>	
157	Millisent Alleyne Painter Charles James Painter Mary Anne Painter Edward Painter	
158	Elizabeth Brock Benjamin Brock	
159	<i>[erasures]</i>	
160	Thomas Brock Martha Brock	
161	John Gilbert William Gilbert Honor Gilbert Sarah Gilbert	ft. in
162	William Gilbert Susanna Edwards George Edwards	5' 0" full
163	James Curry	
164	Anne Storton John Storton	4 0
165	William Pullen	
166	Charles William Vowles Jane Vowles Emma Vowles William Vowles	9 0 [above coffin deleted in column heading]
167	Thomas Howard Roberts	
168	Elizabeth Ellen Pester	
169	Sarah Kempson	
170	Rachel Ford	
171	George Elliott	
172	John Haddon	

173	Anne Weeks Elizabeth Weeks	
174	Unknown <i>[faint pencil]</i>	
175	Elizabeth Please	
176	Harriet Guidery <i>[interlined]</i> John Phillips Harriett Phillips	
177	George Smith	
178	Mary Ann Onion Sarah Jane Cox Edward Cox Florence Mary Cox <i>[interlined]</i> Emma Cox Edward Cox	
179	James Farr Susanna Farr Sarah Farr James Farr	 full
180	John Pullen Mary Pullen	
181	Rhoda Perriman James Perriman James Perriman Ann Perriman	
182	Jane Perriman William Trubshaw Louisa Perriman George Perriman	 full
183	Ann Thomas	
184	Ann Pullin Sarah Pullin Job Pullin Elizabeth Hall Thomas George Hall	ft 8 0 Grave full
185	Nathaniel Wade Elizabeth Wade	8 0
186	Betty Wade Thomas Wade Thomas Wade	
187	Mary Hopkins John Hopkins	

188	Mark Painter William Edward Painter William Painter Susanna Painter	ft 7
189	Edward Hall	ft 5
190	Mary Ellen Monkton <i>[overwriting similar name]</i>	ft 5 0
191	Unknown <i>[pencil]</i>	
192	John Dare John Dare Elizabeth Dare	5' 0" 3' 9"
193	John Prescott Harris	
194	Thomas Clark Alice Maria Sandell Jane Clark Emily Matilda Sandell John Lemuel Sandell Emily Alice Hawkins	
195	Rachael Powell	
196	Mary Coles	ft in
197	Richard Hicks James Guiney	4 0
198	John Thomas Mary Wright	 3 6
199	Unknown <i>[faint pencil]</i> Herman Larsen	2ft 6
200	Hannah Smith	
201	John Hedges Ann Hedges	
202	George Pretty Fanny Pretty Maria Pretty Elizabeth Pritty << 202 altered to 203 These 2 graves were entered in wrong order A.J.H.	5' 0"
203	<< 203 altered to 202 Mary Ann Pullen Elizabeth Pritty Mary Ann Pritty	5' 0" 4 0
204	Moses Kilmister Mary Kilmister	

205	Edwin Kilmister	
206	Betty Edwards William Neat William Webb Laura Webb	
207	Robert Henry Webb Susanna Neat Robert David Webb	
208	Ellen Barton Rosa Barton Ann Barton Charles Albert Barton Stride Charles Barton	
209	Elizabeth Willington John Powell Willington Stephen Willington	
210	Mary Willington Stephen Willington	
211	Edwin Flower Ann Flower	4' 6"
212	Louisa Chalker	6 0
213	Florence Mary Birth Henry James Birth	7' 0" 5' 0"
214	Edward Collins Ann Collins George Collins Mary Anne Collins	
215	Ann Collins	
216	Bethia Turberville Edmund Turberville Anne Margaretta Turberville Eleanor Howard	
217	Mary Saunders	
218	Lydia Osborne Harriet Seager Lydia Seager	
219	Eliz th Husbonds Beccles Dayrell Elvira Smith Dayrell Mary Elvira Dayrell Thomas Dayrell Susanna Maud Cox Sarah Peirs Cox	

220	Harriet Butler Sarah Ann Richards	ft in 6 0 full
221	Rebecca Smith Charles Newman	4' 6"
222	William Hancock Mary Ann Hancock <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE</i> <i>PAGE ~~~~~</i> 222 A Sarah Jane Lait	5 10 6' 0"
223	Edward Bryant Ernest Bernard Tellefsen	
224	John Stuart Lewis Helen Lewis Thomas Baker Lewis Helen Elizabeth Lewis Grace Guest Lewis	5 0 full
225	Walter Taylor Baker James Stuart Lewis Ernest Alexander Morton Lewis Donald Claude Morton Lewis James Lewis Charlotte Catherine Lewis	 full
226	Blanch Amelia Hill Peter Leddy	
227	Susanna Stephens Alice Daisy Thomas Edith Husher Emily Louise Husher Emily Louisa Husher <i><< full A.J.H.</i>	
228	Elizabeth Sargeant William Sargeant	
229	Henry Ambler 2 Emily Ambler 3 Elizabeth Hembler (Ambler (?) 1	
230	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
231	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
232	Charles Hack	
233	One Grave too many in Map	
234	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	

235	Charles Hack William John Hack Sarah Hack	4' 9"
236	George Sherard	
237	Julia Maria Babington Augusta Julia Babington Thomas Arthur Babington	
238	William Williams Hewitt Mary Hewitt	
239	Sarah Bracey William Bracey Mary Jane Bracey	
240	Elizabeth Gilbert Susie Ellen Hale <i><< [erasure] Gilbert [written vertically in column 1]</i>	
241	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
242	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>] William James Shepstone	
243	John Rees Mary Rees	
244	William Smith Hannah Smith William Room	
245	Sarah Ann Willcox Michael Willcox	
246	Thomas Sarjeant Robert Sarjeant Janet Sarjeant	
247	Louisa King Eliza Jane King Joseph King Eliza King Joseph King	
248	Charles Williams William Charles Williams William Williams Ann Williams	5 0
249	Elizabeth Ann Slade George Slade Mary Slade	
250	Tom Poole Mary Ann Poole Alfred Poole Alfred Poole	

251	James Peck Ellen Isadore Peck Ann Peck (Stone S Side)	5' 3"
252	William Wallace Should be Wallis C.W.D. (Stone S. Side) << <u>Wallis</u>	
253	John Bracey Jane Bracey	
254	William Bracey	
255	Edward Parker Mary Parker <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ~~~~~</i> << 256 A over 255 A William George Taylor	5' 6"
	George Charles Taylor	5' 0"
	Edith Esme Kidwell	4 6
	Richard William Taylor	4' 0
256	Sarah Davis Sarah Christiana Phillips	
257	Susannah Wilding	
258	Elizabeth Osborne Mary Seager	
259	[<i>blank</i>]	
260	Elizabeth Shapland Susan Shapland	
261	William Jones	
262	Elizabeth Cullimore John Cullimore	
263	George Iles	
264	Dinah Bissex	
265	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
266	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
267	Unknown [<i>pencil</i>]	
268	Robert Brown Emma Brown	5' 0" Full
269	Susanna Boulton Robert Boulton William John Thatcher Harriet Thatcher	 full
270	Sarah Sims	
271	Martha Stevens Hannah Edbrooke	

272	Catherine Edbrooke Robert Edbrooke	
273	John Yerbury Mary Ann Yerbury Reginald Charles Jebb Charles William Jebb	
274	Mary Rex <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS COLUMNS 2-6 ~~~~~</i> << 274 ^A David Chidgey Hilda Chidgey Ann Marsh Chidgey (assumed) << Next to 275 toward church [<i>pencil</i>] Ellen Victoria Chidgey	5' 0" 9' 0" 7' 6" 4' 6"
275	Enoch Crosby Joseph Henry Heap	 4' 0"
276	Robert John Cook Alfred Hughes	5' 0" full
277	George James [<i>overwriting</i> Unknown] George James Henry James Pointing Martha Ann Pointing << Re <u>Pointing</u>	8' 7' 6"
278	Elizabeth Lamput	
279	Maria Marsh << 279 ^a <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ~~~~~</i> << 279 ^b Next to 280 on South David Chidgey	8' 0" 9' 0"
280	John Drew Mary Drew	

281	Emma Eliza Sayce William Robert Flower Elizabeth Flower Diana Witts Markuson Isabella Flower Saunders Isabella Witts Flower John Flower Mary Flower	
282	Elizabeth Dyer Hannah Dyer Thomas Dyer	ft 7
283	Samuel George Hounsell Prudence Hounsell Emily Barton	
284	William John Phippen Joseph Dainton	
285	Louisa Curry Sarah Milsom Curry James Curry	8 0
286	Frederick Mark Shepherd James Cox	6ft
287	Emma Richards Thomas Braddick	
288	Thomas Gibbs Charles Weeks Ada Annie Eggleton Daisy Eggleton	3' 6"
289	John Scott Walter Scott Charles Henry Millard Taylor	
290	Thomas Barton William Wilcox Henry Beard Emily Clara Evans	
291	Sarah Jane Swete John Swete Robert Dubur	

292	Harriett Hogbin	
293	William King Marianne Richards William Richards	Full
294	Margaret Cox	
295	John Tapley Mortimer	
296	Alice Dyer	
297	Thomas Henry Dyer Mary Dyer Mary Ann Hayman	
298	Jane Harding	
299	Mary Wilson	
300	Mary Ann Faux	
301	Annie Gibbons William Gibbons Hannah Gibbons	8 feet 5 ft
302	Ann Kilmister	
303	Mary Ann Adams George Jo[n?]es Adams John Herbert Thurston Gingell Ellen Thurston Gingell Grave full	
304	Julia Thatcher Henry Robert Thatcher Annie Symons William John Thatcher Henry Simon	
305	Ann Rumbelow	
306	Anna Word	
307	Mary Watts William Watts	5' 9"
308	Samuel Wynes Pittman	
309	Isaac Tucker Priscilla Tucker	ft. in. 5 6 4
310	William Smith Louisa Smith	
311	Maria Neat Fanny Frances Neat Elizabeth Walker Robert Edwards Neat	6' -" 4' 9" full

312	Mary Green Adeline Caroline Green	5' 9"
313	John Barton Tanner	
314	Alice Louisa Kilmister Henry Kilmister Florence Kilmister Emily Holloway Kilminster [sic]	
315	Arthur Barnard Margaret Mary Cox John Barnard Elizabeth Barnard	ft 7 0 ft 6 0 4 9 full
316	Harriet Snelling	
317	Helen Baker	
318	Hannah Derrick William Derrick Edward Derrick	 3-6 full
319	Walter John Best	
320	Lizzie Mary Patterson Lucy Frances Patterson	
321	Mary Ann Crates	
322	Alfred Wilkins	
323	Alfred Edward Riches George Riches	ft in 4 0 7' 0"
324	Parsons, John Nora Shaw Amelia Parsons	 Depth above coffin 5' 0" Full
325	Rooms Alice Louisa – Rooms Arthur James Hinge John	5 0 Grave full
326	Thomas Room	7
327	George Walton	6 0
328	Thomas Rosser Elizabeth Rosser	7 0

329	<< altered to 330 James Dyer Elizabeth Dyer William Dyer	5 6 4 3
330	<< altered to 329 Ann Leman Purnell << The above numbers were altered in Aug. 1906 when the Purnell grave was opened owing to the two numbers being wrong. Signed H A Powell. Vicar.	
331	Emma Parsons James Dyer Edwin John Mead [and entry X'd through in columns 2 and 6]	ft in
332	Emma Parsons Charlotte Jane Rowley [interlined, faint] Edwin John Mead	4 0
333	Sarah Trebbit [interlined, faint, possibly erased] Charlotte Jane Rowley Charles William George Rowley George Rowley	4 0 9 0
334	Harriet Bear [interlined, faint] Sarah Trebbit [over deleted/ erased material]	4 0 [erased]
335	David Robert Cole [interlined, faint] Harriet Bear [over erasure] Elizabeth Ambler John Beer	5' 0" grave full
336	David Robert Cole [over faint X'd material]	

337	Edward Partt William Henry Partt William Henry Partt <i>[all over faint X'd material]</i>	
338	Emily Louisa Hodge William Charles Irwin Hodge Emma Hodge Charles Hodge Minnie Matilda Hodge <u>Grave full</u>	7' 9" 6' 6"
339	Isaac Pollard Amelia Pollard	6 0
340	Ellzabeth Ellen Kilmister Richard Henry Harris Emily Holloway Kilmister	4 6 4' 0"
341	Edward Brewer Grubb	ft inch
342	Thomas Oldrey Jane Denham Charlotte Georgina Oldrey	5 9
343	Ellen Hack	
344	Charles Price Charlotte Price Charles Price	
345	Hannah Bayley Amelia Creswick	
346	Elizabeth Smith	
347	This number was accidentally omitted in the map	
348	John Flower Elizabeth Flower	
349	Rebecca Weston Jane Collins Joseph Weston	
350	Susanna Spare John Spare Ann Lewis Susannah Spare	ft in 10 0
351	<< Border next to lane William Henry Davis Frances Davis	4' 9" 3. 6

352	<< Border next to lane Maria Lugg Ann Lugg	8 0
353	Alice Sandell Frederick Glenth rne <i>[sic]</i> Hawkins Thomas Sandell Thomas Harper Sandell	9 0 4' 0"
354	George Kennett Elizabeth Margaret Kennett Frank Hilton Kennett	3' 9" full
355	Clara Eda Pointing Elizabeth Martha Pointing Doris Joy Pointing Martha Ellen Pointing Brown	4' full
356	<i>[blank]</i>	
357	<i>[blank]</i>	
358	<i>[blank]</i>	
359	<i>[blank]</i>	
360	<i>[blank]</i>	
361	<< <i>[1 altered to 2]</i> Martha Morris Frederick Morris	ft in 6
362	<< <i>[2 altered to 1]</i> <i>[blank]</i>	
363	Elizabeth Pearse Joseph Pearse	9 0 7 6
364	George Naylor Eli Lee Jane Lee	ft in 8 0 6' above coffin 4ft " "
365	Frederick Armitage	ft in 8 0
366	George Meaden	ft 6 0
367	Edmund House Hannah House	ft in 5 0 4 0

368	Rachel Jackman Millicent Rachel Jackman	ft in 6 0
369	Thomas Reeves	6 0 [<i>altered</i> to 7 0]
370	Samuel Eva Samuel Eva	6 0
371	[<i>at top of page:</i>] reckon from the Road side towards the Back lane James Hort [<i>over erasure</i>]	ft in 8
372	Stephen Harvey [<i>over</i> <i>erasure</i>] Charles Harvey Annie White Huggins	7 6 4' 6"
373	Sarah Dando [<i>over erasure</i>] George Dando	6 [<i>altered</i> to 7] 4' 0"
374	Frederick Hillier Jane Hillier	
375	Walter Owen Lloyd George Lloyd	78 0
376	[<i>at top of page:</i>] Reckon from the Road side toward the Back lane Jane Chubb	
377	Daniel Edwards Herbert George Gingell James Gilbert Gingell Mary Elizabeth Yeeles	5ft [<i>altered</i> to 6] 5' 0" 4 4
378	Christiana Vowles George Vowles Albert Vowles George Vowles	
379	Sarah Jeffries Edward Jeffries Josiah Jefferies	
380	William Vowles Anna Maria Vowles	

381	Henry Davis William Davis Lucy Davis Jane Davis	4' 9"
382	George Jelly Ann Thomas	4ft
383	Henry Webber Emily Edith Webber F. C. J. P. Hussey	
384	Ellen Mountjoy Ellen Louisa Mountjoy	
385	 Robert Taylor Edith Beswick John Beswick Sarah Helen Beswick Ellen Bryant	7 6 4 6 3 3
386	Border next to Street Florence Mary Collins Edward Henry Collins George Collins George Samuel Flower Maria Flowers Maria Elizabeth Flower	7 0 6 6 5 ft. 3' 6"
387	Do Alice Flower George Collins Ivor Stanley Hack	 5' 0"
388	Do George Painter Thomas Taylor Catlin Henry Painter George Painter	4' 3"
389	Border next to Lane Isaac Carter Ann Carter	6' 9" 5' 6"

390	Border next to Lane Minnie Limbrick Frederick John Limbrick Edwin Biddle Louisa Biddle	8' 0" 7' 0" 5' 6"
391	John Finch	4ft
392	Jane Hill Arthur Hill James Sandford Kepple	8ft 5' 9"
393	Minnie Boyd George Boyd	4ft
394	Person from Bottleworks	
395	William Britton Amelia Hazell John Robert Millar Louisa Ann Hazell Albert Edward Barnard	 3ft 6in Full
396	Elizabeth Lambourne George Lambourne Amelia Evelyn Lambourne	5' 3' 6"
397	George Parsons Sarah Jane Crago	4' 9"
398	Ellen Taylor	
399	Chemist from Avonmouth	
400	[blank]	
401	Woman found drowned. name unknown Grave full <i>[pencil]</i>	
402	2 men buried by the Parish Names unknown Grave full <i>[pencil]</i>	
403	Tom Anstie	
404	Charles Atkins	
405	Sarah Dancey	
406	Annie Poole George Poole	ft in 7 9 7
407	James Robinson Elizabeth Robinson	ft in 5 9 full

408	Annie Poole John Poole Franklin Sidney Poole	ft in 7 9 6
409	Maria Quarterly <i>[sic]</i> Thomas Howell Francis Quarterly <i>[sic]</i> William Quartley	
410	Charles & Robert Chubb George Henry Chubb	
411	William John Mears Annie Poole William John Mears Albert Edward Mears Alfred John Mears Lydia Mears	ft in 8 0 9-0 7' 6" 6' 6" 5 3
412	Edith Jane Martin <i>[interlined]</i> James Robinson	 7-0
413	George Day <i>[interlined]</i> Anne Poole George Day Eliza Newman Charles Newman	7ft 0 9-0 5 9 5 9 3 10
414	Walter Henry Martin <i>[interlined]</i> Maria Quartly Thomas Howell Francis Quarterly	Ft 4 0 8-0
415	Albert Jesse Gunning <i>[interlined]</i> Charles & Robert Chubb	
416	Thomas Allen	5
417	Sarah Chandler William Thomas Chandler	5 0

448	Mary Loveday Richard Loveday	ft in 5 9 4
449	James Pearce <i>[overwrites Man on [illegible] suddenly at Avonmouth]</i> Thomas Garner – stabbed on board ship	
450	Ann Taylor Lily Sprague	ft in 5 9
451	Elizabeth Boulton Phillip George Valentine Boulton William Henry Boulton Jane Boulton Long << <u>A.J.H.</u> Jane Boulton	ft in 6 9 5' 6" 4' 3" 3' 3"
452	John Goodman Mary Goodman Elizabeth Atkins	ft in 5 9 5' 0" 4
453	Charles Harris Sarah Harris Edwin Charles Harris Charles Arthur Harris << Room for one more	ft in 7 9 6ft 9in
454	Thomas Cantle Ellen Cantle	ft in 7 9 6ft 6in
455	Amy Sprout	ft 3
456	Edwin Fredrick Mecrate Robert John Mecrate Janetta Mecrate	7ft 6ft full
457	Isaac James Smith Paul Henry Smith Thomas Smith Bethany Ann Smith	7ft 6' 4ft 9in Full
458	Elizabeth Northover	

459	Thomas Lloyd Susan Lloyd Thomas Lloyd	5ft 9in 5' 0" 3' 9:
460	William Prime Ann Prime	ft in 5 9
461	John Yeeles Mary Yeeles Sarah Yeeles	4ft 9in Full Full
462	<< Border next to Street Robert John Tutcher	
463	<< Border next to Street Frances Tutcher Joseph Tutcher	 6' 0"
464	<< Border next to Street [blank]	
465	<< Border next to Street Sarah Ann Chaplin Florence Chaplin x << {465a << {465 ^a William Evans << Next to wall Elizabeth Evans << 465 x Sidney Chaplin Beare This Body was buried in 465	 6' 0" 4' 9"
466	<< Border next to lane Mary Ann Butcher Henry Benjamin Butcher Sophia Miles	7ft 5ft 6 4ft 6
467	<< Border next to lane Lydia Knott Elizabeth Annie Knott William John Knott	6 9 4 9 full

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481	Herbert John Harrison Part of Body of a man washed ashore O. Neilson (body found in water)	5 3 <u>full</u>
482	William Richmond John Butcher	4' 9" 4 3
483	Sarah Ann Lukins	4'
484	Ellen Gardiner Frank William Gardiner	6ft 0 5ft 0
485	Louisa Sansum [<i>interlined, indicated by arrow from bottom of entry</i>] George Augustus Sansum Tamzin Louisa Augusta Sansum Ben Cuthbert George Sansum George Augustus Sansum Crodwen Mary Sansum	^full^ 8' 0" 8' 0" 7' 0" 5' 8" 4' 10"
486	Henry Male	4ft
487	Mary Wear	4ft
488	William Thomas Jeffery William Jeffery Eliza Jane Jeffery	5' 0" 4ft
489	Thomas Daniel Challenger Martha Challenger	3' 9"
490	Herbert Senior Cecil Lewis Senior Ernest Cyril Senior Edna Limbrick	 5' 0" 4' 6"
491	George Henry Lewis Ernest George Lewis	Ft 7
492	Henry George Godfrey	3' 9"
493	Daisy Marian Dando	
494	Stanley Bryant Hemb ^e ^ry	
495	Richard Bowden [B <i>corrected to D, initialled W.R.</i>] Elizabeth Dowden John Henry Dowden Ellen Dowden	 5 6
496	Lavinia Lewis Elizabeth Farmer George Lewis	5ft 4' full

497	Emily Billinghamurst Eliza Billinghamurst Henry John Billinghamurst	5ft 4ft full
498	George Strong	5ft
499	Charles Johnson Elsie Elizabeth Westcott Edward Bertie Thomas Westcott James Hughes Sarah Hughes	8ft 6ft 6' 0" 5ft 0"
500	<< Border next to Street Cecilia Ann Davis [<i>overwriting erasure</i>] Ellen Davis George Davis see 708 [<i>pencil</i>]	
501	<< Border next to Street James Parish Alice Eliza Lloyd Ernest Thomas Lloyd	ft in 6 0 4ft
502	<< Border next to Street [<i>erasure</i>] Gunn John Gunn	5-0 5 0
503	<< Border next to Street James Henry Botten Annie Blanche Botten Henry Botten Emily Botten	8' 6" 7' 3"
504	<< Border next to lane Minna Whitehead Lionel Whitehead Harry Whitehead Edward Ernest Whitehead	6' 5' 6" 4' 6" 4' 0"
505	<< Border next to lane Dorcas Eliza Flint	
506	Emily Elizabeth Capern William James Capern	6' 3" 5' 6"
507	Eli Andrews Irene Rosina Andrews John Kilminster [<i>sic</i>]	67' 9" 7 3 5' 8"
508	William Farmer James King	6 feet 5'
509	William Davis	6' 9"

510	Mary Stiff	4' 9"
511	Ione Herbert	7ft
	Winifred Violet Herbert	6' 3"
	Lucy Sophia Herbert	
512	Sarah Ann Yeeles	5' 8"
	Thomas Yeeles	4 3
513	Alice Maud Greenway	6ft
514	Thomas Anderson	3 9
	<i>STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ———— << 514^A Cecilia Jones</i>	4' 9"
515	John Smith	ft in 4 9
516	Samuel Hamer Angus Stewart	4 feet Full
517	Frank Timothy Franklin	3' 9"
518	Alfred Gale	5' 0"
519	Alice Weeks	6' 9"
520	Henry Edward Stoke [<i>sic</i>] Henry Edward Stokes	7 feet 6 feet
	Laura Holloway	4 ft 9 <u>inch</u>
	Elizabeth Ann Stokes	<u>full</u> Full
521	William Charles Goodman	7' 9"
	Frederick Goodman	6' 3"
	Elizabeth Goodman	5 0
522	Lilian Sabina Taylor	7ft 3
	Henry Taylor	6ft
	Edward Arthur Charles Taylor	5' 3"
	Florence Charlotte Bailey	4' 6"
	Lily Kate Cummings	4 0
523	Elizabeth Mary King	5 0
	Sydney William King	4f 6
524	Catherine Gertrude Dance	Ft in
	Edith Gertrude Dance	7 6
	John Reginald Dance	6' 6"
	John Dance	6' 0"
	Rosina Bicker	4' 9"
		<u>full</u>

525	Charles Edward Hicks	5 feet 3
	Alfred Hicks	4' 6"
526	Alice Mabel Leach	8' 0"
	William George Jefferies	6 9
	Helen Blanche Martha Jeffries [<i>overwriting</i> Room for another]	
	Helen Gladys Jefferies <u>Grave full</u>	3' 9"
527	Charlie Powell	7' 3"
	Gladys Ethel Davis Fanny Elizabeth Powell	6 3 5' 0"
	Albert Powell [<i>overwriting</i> Room for another] << Round vase with flowers	3 9
	Grave full	
528	Mabel Maud Powell	7' 6"
	Alfred Henry Powell Nigel John Powell Emily Powell	6' 6" 5' 0" full
529	Mary Ellen Richardson	ft in 5 9
	John William Smith	5 2
	Ernest Edward Richardson	4' 6" Full
530	Tom Wilkins Thomas Wilkins Hester Wilkins	ft in 7 9 6' 9"
	full	
531	Mary Jane Borrows	3 feet 3
532	John Fryatt	5 9
	John Turner	Full }
	Ellen Turner	} }
533	William Beacham	6ft 9
	Sarah Jane Beacham << +	5 5

534	William Harry Atkins Alfred Atkins Emily Sarah Atkins [Emily <i>overwriting + as in 533</i>]	5ft 4ft 6in
535	Edith Mildred Ollivant	4' 9"
536	Mary Jane Farmer Noyes Elizabeth Noyes	<u>full</u>
537	Grace Rowe Rouffignac Joshua Henry Rouffignac Edith Rouffignac Trembath Full	4'ft 3' 6"
538	William Clifford Morgan	
539	<< Border next to Street Emily Rachel Knighton	
540	<< Border next to Street Kate Elizabeth Brown	4 0
541	<< Border next to Street William Charles Webber John Scott	5 0 full
542	<< Border next to Street Fanny Morgan	4
543	<< Border next to lane Walter Fenton Holtom	5' 0"
544	<< Border next to lane Elizabeth Halliday N.B. Graves 545 to 556 along the East end of the Sacristy were not moved or disturbed. C.W.D.	7 0
545	Joseph Hort Harriet Hort	 5' 6"
546	(Entrance to Miles' vault -) Walter Riddiford Elizabeth Jane Riddiford Walter Henry Riddiford Eva Mary Riddiford	 6 9 5' 9" 4' 6" Full
547	Robert Chaddock Edwin Robert Chaddock Ann Powell Chaddock	4ft 6in full
548	John Maggs Robert Maggs Ann Maggs	
549	Emma Fear Benjamin Gough Hannah Gough	7' 9" [oblit.] [oblit.]

550	Frederick William Thatcher Ivor Alfred Thatcher Charles Thatcher Clara Augusta Thatcher	7 3 7 3 6' 6" 4 8"
551	AT THIS POINT AN ADDITIONAL ROW OF GRAVES IS INSERTED numbered 721 -	
552	Nathaniel Radmore Hammet Mary Ann Hammet Mary Georgiana Symes John Everett Symes	ft in 7 9 6' 9" full
553	Andrew Nisbet Harry [<i>possibly overwriting</i> Henry] Nisbet Elizabeth Nisbet N.B. Stone possibly now placed on grave nearer High St than it sh ^d be. 4/4/30	6' 9" 5 6 4 6
554	Thomas Fisher {	5 6
555	{ [<i>blank</i>]	
556	Richard Wood	6 3
557	Ernest Parrott + [<i>sic</i>]	5' 3"
558	Alice Henrietta Flory	5' 9"
559	Sidney Burney Wilson	7' "" [<i>sic</i>]
560	Lavinia Smith Frederick Smith Reginald Milton Smith	6' 9"
561	Elizabeth Ann McCullock Frances McCullock Hannah Winifred McCullock Alic George McCullock	6' 9" 5' 6" 5' <u>Grave</u> <u>full</u>
562	Abigail Pearce Henry Pearce	6' 0" 4' 9"
563	John Langdon Hurley Sidney Lionel Langdon Hurley	5 [<i>poss.</i> <i>overwr.</i> 4] f 6 4f 9

564	Charlotte Spiller William Spiller Elizabeth Mizpah Locock Susan Eliza Spiller	7' 0" 6' 0" 5' 0" Full
565	Thomas Charles Middleton Henry Charles Middleton Lewis Kenneth Richard Clement Burn	4' 9" 4' 3"
566	Thomas Giles Elizabeth Giles	4' 9" 4' 0"
567	Jane Cabble Eliza Coombs Ambrose Coombes	5' 9" 4' 9" full
568	Ann Ralph	5 0
569	Eliza Young Alfred Young	5 0 4' 0"
570	William Wilson Henry William Padley Henry William Morgan Roland Morgan Ester Emma Morgan	7' 9" 7 6' 0 5 0 full
571	Thomas Hancock Jane Humphrey William Humfrey Frederick William Gazzard	6' 9" 5' 9" 4' 9 4' 0
572	Thomas Norman Reed Richard Reed Mrs Reed	5' 3
573	William Clark William Frederick Clark full << +	5' 0"
574	Eliza Ann Westlake Ivy Gladys Westlake George Henry Westlake William Charles Westlake Martha Westlake	7' 6' 5' 6" 4' 6 Full
575	Marius Madsen	3' 3"
576	Eliza Jane Young	4' 9"

577	<< Border next to Street Elizabeth Alice Grey Charlotte Grey Eli Burchell Grey Sarah Alice Grey	ft 5 0 [5 <i>overwr.</i> <i>by</i> 8] 6 6 5 - 3 9
578	<< Border next to Street Frederick William Wedmore Susanna Wedmore Richard Wedmore John William Wedmore	8 0 full
579	<< Border next to Street Emma Howes William John Howes Ellen Howes	
580	<< Border next to lane Hilda Rose Adams	4 0
581	<< Border next to lane Sarah Moses Jane Thurston John Thurston	ft in 7 6
582	John William Miles George Frederick William Miles Henry Cruger William Miles Clarissa Philippa Miles { [<i>bracketed with next two entries</i>]	9 3
583	{ [<i>blank</i>]	
584	{ [<i>blank</i>]	
585	[<i>blank</i>]	
586	[<i>blank</i>]	
587	[<i>blank</i>]	
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589	Mary Ann Richards John Richards Annie Julia Richards	
590	Keziah Lait George Lait	6ft 9in
591	Fredrick Vincent Smith Henry Webb Jane Webb	5ft 7' 5' 0"
592	Arthur Alfred Bolt Albert Edgar Hill Catherine Bolt	4ft full
593	George Eckley	7ft
594	Elizabeth Keats George Keats	5ft 4ft 6in
595	William Howes Sarah Howes	7' 5' 9"
596	Ann Beardall Frederick Audley Sharpe Sidney George Sharpe	5 4ft 4ft
597	Mary Jane Timbury Samuel Timbury	4 6
598	Thomas Vowles Sarah Vowles Alfred John Vowles	5' 9" 4' 6" — —
599	Julia Pearson	5 9
600	Rosaline Louisa Peck Edwin Peck	ft 7 5' 6"
601	Dorothy Codrington	4 3
602	Thomas Hy Western	3f 9
603	Alice Elizabeth Curtis	7' 0"
604	Rose Paddon William Paddon Elizabeth Ann Paddon	ft 7 0 4 10 full
605	Joseph Hill Elizabeth Hill Ann Sparrow	6' 9" 5 0 4' 0"

606	^Rev^ Thomas Barrett	5'
607	Ellen Crick John Crick	6' 9" 4' 9"
608	Robert Webb Thomas Henry Webb Emma Webb	6' 9" 5' 0"
609	William Albert Rogers	
610	Eliza Wring	
611	James Bindon	4' 9"
612	Henry Geater Charlotte Geater Charlotte Emily Bailey	5' 0" —
613	Arthur Lewis Davis William Edward Coombs	5ft 4' 6"
614	Mabel Mary Jenkins John Jenkins	full
615	<< Border next to Street Sarah Biddle Moses Biddle	 6' 0"
616	<< Border next to Street Sarah Hamer	6ft deep
617	<< Border next to Street Jemima May Wedmore William Wedmore Anne Jemima Wedmore James Wedmore	 6' 9" 6' 0" 5' 0" full
618	Caroline Fisher	ft. 7 0
619	Emily Pullen Sarah Pullen John Pullen John Pullen <u>full A.J.H.</u>	7 6 6 0 4 6 3 6
620	Elizabeth Newton Thomas Jesse Lane George Newton	 4' 3"

621	James Teague Hester Teague	ft In 7 6
622	Fanny Pitt John Gale Pitt Jane Pitt Walter John Pitt	9 0 7 0 <u>full</u>
623	Maggie Gertrude Handcock Horace Douglas Handcock	 2ft
624	Margaret Mary Prudhoe William Prudhoe Daisy Prudhoe Edward Prudhoe	4 0 6 6 5 "
625	Herbert William Kelsey Edith Henrietta Kelsey	4 0
626	Henry Grigg Alicia Grigg Emma Orton Bamford	ft in 9 0 above coffin 6' 0 4ft 6in
627	William Simmonds Eliza Simmonds Eva Ann Simmonds	ft 8 6 4ft 9
628	Mary Coleman	ft in 6 0
629	Alfred Robert Wardman	9 0
630	Priscilla Hayward Mary Ann Amelia Hayward Henry Hayward	8ft 0 6 0 5 0

631	Harriet Sealy Shaw William Edgar Shaw	4' 9" full
632	James Adlam Elizabeth Hack <i><< large + in column 1</i>	5' 9" 5' 0"
633	Fredrick G. Hathrell Mabel Annie Hatherell Elizabeth Hatherell Albert Hatherell Alfred Hatherell	7' 3" 5' 8 4 7
634	Thomas C. Gibbons	
635	Edward Jesse Screen Jesse Screen	grave full
636	Caroline Uzzell	6ft
637	William Clement Elliott Sarah Elliott Henry Charles Hack Eva Hack	9ft 7' 9" 6' 3"
638	George Webb John Francis Kezia Francis Agnes Mary Reilley Charles Robert Reilley	ft in 9-0 4' 9" 4' full
639	Francis Vowles Catherine Mewton [sic] George Newton John Newton	ft in 9-0 9ft 6ft 0
640	x [pencil] George West Charlotte Huxtable George Edward Payne Sarah Ann Lavons George Lavons	9-0 6ft 6in 5ft 6in Full

641	George Webb Edith Annie Webb David Webb Patience Webb Margaret Jane Webb	7ft 9in 5ft 4' 0" full
642	Francis Vowels [<i>sic</i>] Caroline Vowels [<i>sic</i>]	6ft 6 ⁱⁿ
643	George West	7ft 9in
644	Mary Hannah Chubb	
645	Elizabeth Ann Thomas Fredrick Thomas William Thomas Mildred Thomas	 4' 3" 4' 0"
646	Sarah Ambler Thomas Ambler William Ambler	6' 4 9
647	Elizabeth Sykes	
648	Percy Bramham Tate	
649	from Bottle Works	
650	Ann Welchman Martha Stride << Joshua Bartlett 650 A	 4 2
651	Thomas James Osman Harold Hubert Osman <i>STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS FIRST 4 COLUMNS ———</i> << 651 A. Francis Robert Poole Amelia Poole Elsie Poole Ella Louisa Poole this grave at foot of Osmans	Just sufficient room for a child
652	Sarah Lloyd	5ft
653	Susanna Clark << 653. A. Emma Collings	

654	William Cornish << 654 ^A . << Extra Grave between M ^r Cornish & M ^{rs} O'Connor Frank Burroughes Norgate	7' 9"
655	Edith Mary Norgate Herbert Edward Norgate	
656	Francis Dod <i>WAVY LINE ACROSS WHOLE PAGE ~~~~~</i> << 656. ^A Grave lying N. & S. Sarah Foot	5' 0" full
657	Ann Elizabeth O'Connor <i>PECKED LINE ACROSS COLUMNS 2-6 - - - - -</i> << 657.A John Foot	8' 6"
658	William Lock	
659	Gertrude Harriet Stocqueler Harriet Williams	ft in 6 6
660	Frances Mary Thomas James Thomas	9 0
661	William Waters William Waters Ellen Waters	ft in 9 0
662	Arthur Stevens	
663	Richard Tyrrell Pope Richard Shackleton Pope Sarah Lawrence Pope Thomas Shackleton Pope	8 0

664	Benjamin Abel Jayne Susannah Keegan Charles Keegan age 78	8 0 grave full
665	Maria Bridle Lionel Bridle Henry Pretty	8 0 — 3' 0"
666	William John Curry Ernest Lee John Curry Robert William Neate William Jayne Neate	ft in 5 0 8 0
667	James Coleman	8 0
668	Clara Poole Mary Ann Poole << X	8 0
669	Raban	
670	Harriet Street Emily Marshman	ft 7 0
671	Arthur J. Hack Fredrick George Hack John Adams Hack Eleanor Hack room for one more	8 0[erased] 5ft
672	Mary Theophile Cox { [bracketed with next]	5' 9"
673	{ Frederick Cox	5' 9"
674	[blank]	
675	[blank]	
676	Sarah Elizabeth S ⁱ Leger [obliterated] Atkins Louisa Pelitot S ⁱ Leger Moore George Moore [NB 676-680 are accompanied by a sparse handwritten insert, presumably notes by the vicar to himself, on the back of an order of service for 1 August 1948.]	8' 7' 5%

677	Robert Bruce Raban Jane Raban No 12A aged 79 years Henrietta Cockburn Raban No 138 in Burials Register aged 9 years Sophia Raban Sept 30 th aged 87 years [bracketed with next two, with words in the number column: << { Entrance to Vault is under cover Stone in Path.}]	
678	{ Lilian Jane Raban aged 83 years	
679	{ [blank]	
680	Isabella Godfrey	
681	Blank [pencil]	
682	<< Mrs Box 29 Kings Squ Stokes Croft Alfred E John Box Alfred James Box Julian Margaret Langley Hunt Mead Marthy [sic] Mary Box	6 9 5ft 9" Full
683	Elizabeth Bridle	8 0
684	Henry Peard Reed	7 0
685	Webb Anne Henry Webb Thomas Webb	6ft full
686	Sage, George H. Emily Ada Studley	 3' 10"
687	Brown, Charles J. Brown, Tryphena Brown, Lelia Brown, William Harvey	6' 0" 4' 8" full
688	Harvey Lydia Sarah --- William	7 0
689	Albert Edward Warry Jane Warry Eliel Warry	6 0 4 6

690	Kate Burge George Busby Taylor – Put down wrong Blanche Burge << full	6ft 7-0
691	George Busby Taylor	Ft 7'
692	<< bracketed 692-694 For Capt Tozer's Vault Catherine Price Tozer	6 9
693	<< bracketed 692-694 For Capt Tozer's Vault Ivan Harold Tozer	5 "
694	<< bracketed 692-694 For Capt Tozer's Vault Morgan Price Smith Tozer	7' 9"
695	George Veal Hannah Mary Veal	8' 0" 6 9
696	Phyllis Bessie Stonestreet	5' 3"
697	Mary Melinda Kelsey Maude Pope Arthur Kelsey	8' 7 6' –
698	Leonard Charles Jones William George Jones Elizabeth Ann Jones	6' 6"
699	Elizabeth Barnes	5' 9"
700	[blank]	
701	[blank]	
702	[blank]	
703	[blank]	
704	[blank]	
705	[blank]	
706	 Philip John Chaplin Sarah Chaplin Edward James Chaplin Edith Sarah Hacker	 7' 6" 6' 6" 5 4" Full
707	William Peters Harriet Peters	6' 9" 6' 0"
708	John Davis Ann Davis << Room for <u>one</u> [pencil]	6' 9" 6' 0"

709	[blank]	
710	[blank]	
711	[blank]	
712	[blank]	
713	[blank]	
714	[blank]	
715	[blank]	
716	[blank]	
717	[blank]	
718	[blank]	
719	[blank]	
720	[blank]	
721	Charles Champ Rosa Bessie Champ Louisa Champ	4' 9" Grave full.
722	Diana Abley	4' 0"
723	John Stone	6' 9"
724	Sarah Duckett Tom Duckett	5' 0" 4' 0"
725	Thomas Grey May Ann Hellings Martha Grey	4' 9" 4' 0" Full
726	[Column headed: 4 th Row from Path] Hannah Eliza Millard Herbert William Millard Elizabeth Millard	 5' 0" 4' 0" full
727	<< [unclear in circle: In??] 721 – 7.30 [pencil] James Maggs	 5' 9"
728	Ann Larcomb Sarah & Anne Larcombe	4' 9" full
729	Emily Ella Hardwick	4' 9"
730	Thomas Edwin James Edwin Fowler Mary Ann Fowler	7' 3" 6' 0" 5' 0"
731	Patience Annie Louise Cole Walter Henry Cole	6' 6" 3' 0"

732	Amelia Elms Temperance Elizabeth Howell William Howell	7' 0" 6' 0" 5 0
733	Rosina Bishop Charles James Bishop	6' 5' 6
734	William Wheeler	3' 9"
735	Beatrice Alice Buck William James Buck << Room for 1 More Clara Grace Buck << x Full up	5' 3"
736	Harriet Matthews Elizabeth Elsie Florence Hooper Thomas Simon Matthews Grave full	6' 0" 5' 6"
737	Edith Webb	4' 6"
738	William Boundy	3' 9"
739	Susan Knapton Elisha Knapton	7' 0" 5' 6"
740	William Alfred Thomas Parsons Sidney John Parsons	6' 6" 6 "
741	Alice Sarah Elizabeth Andrews Albert Edward Andrews Louisa Andrews Annie Blanche Andrews Thomas Andrews	8' 3" 7 6 6 6 5 6 4 0
742	Gertrude May Parker George Parker Alec Leslie Small William George Small Sarah Parker	8' 3" 7' " 6 " 4' 6" Full
743	Elizabeth Chappelle Joseph William Chappelle	6' 0" 5 0
744	Susan Catherine Mary James Susan Caroline Mary James Norah Bell James	4' 9" 4' 3" Full
745	Benjamin Collins Thomas Morris	8' 7'

746	Philip John Chaplin Charlotte Hinder William Hinder	7' 6" 5' 9" 4' 9"
747	Eliza Hill James Arthur Hill Anne Elizabeth Hill	7' 5' 9" 4 5
748	Susanah Jane White Frederick White William Henry Millard	5' 4' 6" Full
749	William Wallace Thomson Louisa Ann Thomson	7' 9" 7' 0"
750	[blank]	
751	[blank, and so down to 800 except:]	
791	[Column headed:] Children's graves Andrew Douglas Alice Ford Frederick Ernest Bleaken William Douglas Albert Charles Wakely	Earth Earth Earth " "
792	Alfred George Parsons	"

8.F	[blank]	
17.A	Mary Prosser Benjamin Prosser	
29.A	Betty Word Smith	
60.A	Elizabeth Sims Mary Ann Sims	
60.B	Mary Ann Sims	
60.C	Mary Crates Mary Hillier	
257.A	Louisa Curry William Curry	

385.A	George Flower Mary Richards Ann Flower	5' 0"
422.A	Edith Davis Eliza Simm Ada May Davis Charles Davis << see no <u>418</u>	
422.B	Jane Chase William Henry Perry	6ft
422.C	John Cook Hooper	8ft
461.A	Thomas Lloyd <u>This grave reconing</u> <u>[sic] from back lane</u> <u>is (459)</u>	ft 7 0
461.B	William Prime Ann Prime <u>This grave reconing</u> <u>[sic] from back lane</u> <u>is (460)</u>	ft in 7 0
461.C	John Yeeles <u>This grave reconing</u> <u>[sic] from back lane</u> <u>is (461)</u>	6. 0

499.A	Henry John Pearse Robert Pearse	8 [<i>overwriting</i> 9] ft 6ft
499.B	George Hatherell Sarah Hatherell	8ft 6' 0"
499.C	[<i>blank</i>]	
499.D	[<i>blank</i>]	
538.A	William George Knock <i>[interlined]</i> Morgan Frank Crago	5ft
538.B	Mary Emma Hill <i>[interlined]</i> Martha Stride Samuel Herbert Lacey Hill Edward Hill Eliza Hill	8' 5' 9"
538.C	Martha Stride Edmund Stride	5' 9" 5' 0"
538.D	[<i>blank</i>]	
538.E	[<i>blank</i>]	
576.A	Peter Lawson Fanny Hanson Emma Lawson	6' <i>[overwriting</i> 5'] 0" 4' 10" <i>[overwriting</i> full] full
576.B	George Henry Hack Mary Ann Hack Alfred Hack	6' 0"

576 C	Susan Wright	5' 0"
	William Wright	Full
576.D	Mary Ann Atkins	5' 9"
	Annie Lillian Atkins	4 . 9
	[Next to M. A. Atkins:]	
	<u>Error on 576E</u> [pencil]	

No.	Name	Age
1	Thomas Hillier	33
	Emma White	23
	John Palmer	78
	Elizabeth Palmer	75
2	Hannah Garrett	
	Samuel Garrett	77
3	William Hillier	70
4	Joseph Silcox	76
5-7	[blank]	

576.D	Arthur Leonard May	6' 0"
	Elizabeth Lydia May	
	Albert Samuel May	
576.E	Mary Ann Atkins	5' 9"
	Annie Lillian Atkins	
	<< {576 [deleted]}	
576.F	Fanny Elizabeth Dix	full
614.A	William Leach	5ft
	Henrietta Leach	7ft 6in
	Henrietta Leach	6' 0"
	George Leach	5' 0"
	Walter Leach	4ft 6in
614.B	Mary Hannah Lousia [sic] Cook	7ft
	Rosina, Ellen Jane Cook	5ft 9in
	George Cook	3ft " [sic] 4in <u>full</u>
614.C	Elizabeth Judge	
614.D	Elizabeth Bennett	8ft
	Julia Hannah Painter	6' 9"
	Thomas Henry Painter	5.3
614.E	Anne Langley	7ft 6 in
	Susanna Whitefoord	5ft 4in

614.F	<u>Close to Road</u> , a little West of M ^r Poole's Marble tombstone Louisa Catherine Robinson	
614.G	[blank]	
650.A	 Joshua Bartlett Amelia Ware George Henry Ware Minnie Box	 6ft 0 4 9 full
650.B	Wilfred Rothney Chubb Charles James Chubb <i>A FAINT VERTICAL WAVY LINE RUNS THROUGH THIS COLUMN 614.A to 614.E</i>	4' 6" " "
650.C - H	[blank]	
422.C		

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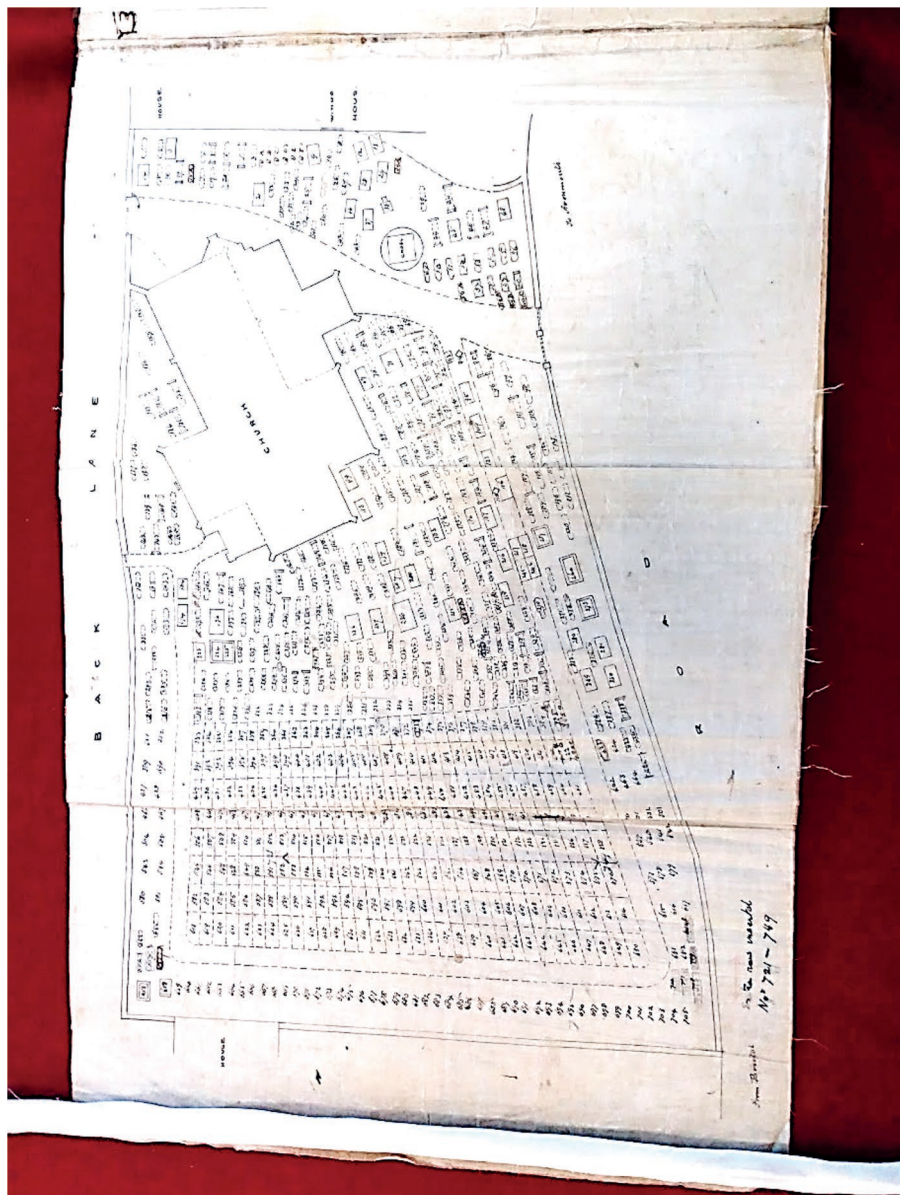


Image 1: The tracing of the churchyard plan of 1869 pasted into the Church-Yard Book



Image 3: Shirehampton chapel from the north-west, depicted shortly after the building was completed in 1827. Includes ancient hollow yew and railed monument to Capt. Shaw (see grave 71), now moved close to the north gate; Glebe Cottage extreme right. Centre bottom, the arms of Southwell of King's Weston House. Lithographic image on zinc by J. Willis, printed by Day and Haghe, print commissioned by Rev. R. B. Cartwright. Downloaded from Bristol Know Your Place

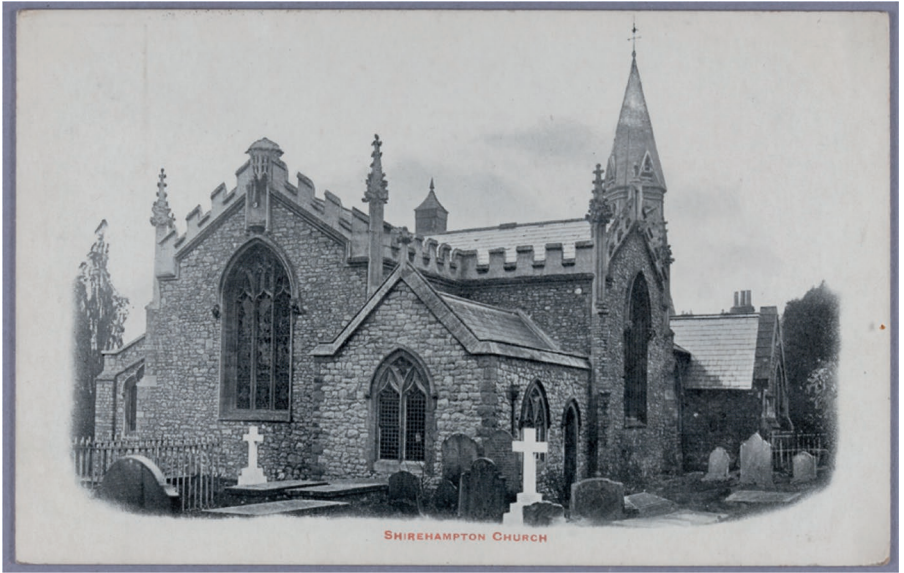


Image 4: Shirehampton chapel from the north-east, after its elevation to parish status and after some structural additions in the later 19th century including the vestry/chapel in the foreground and the spirelet. Postcard image downloaded from Bristol Know Your Place, supplied by Ken Edwards



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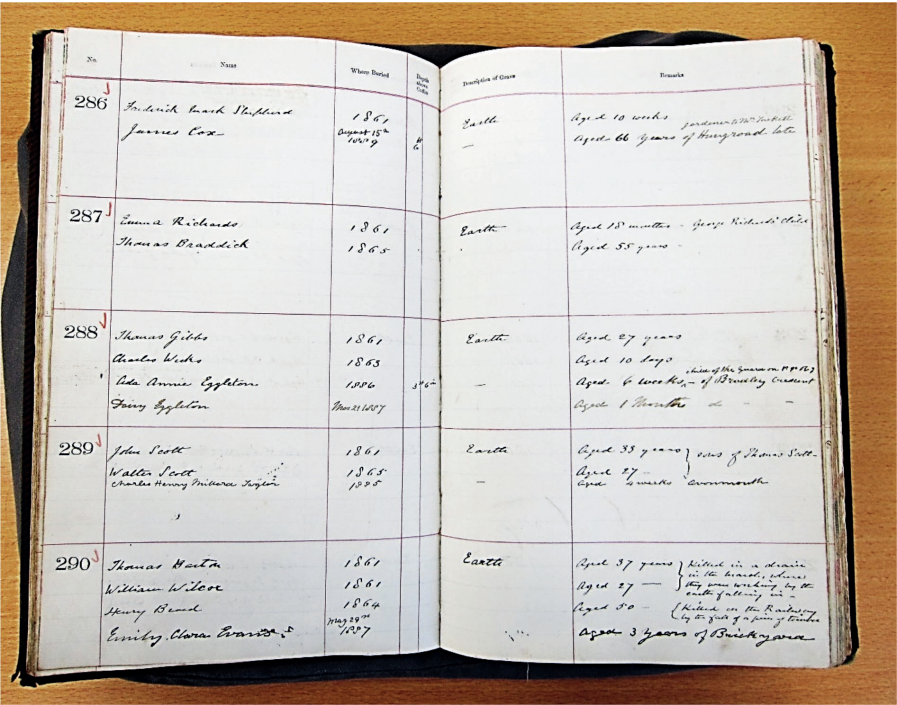


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No.	Name	When Buried	Depth from Surface	Description of Grave	Remarks
301	Ami J. Adams William J. Adams Ann J. Adams	1864 1880 1886	8 feet 5 ft	Earth Earth Earth	Aged 8 months Aged 63 years of date Aged 61 years wife of Ami J. Adams
302	Ann Kilmister	1865		Earth	Aged 49 years - wife of Ami J. Adams
303	Mary Ann Adams Gey. John Adams John J. Adams Ellen H. Adams John J. Adams	1865 1871 1874. Dec. 10 23/1/1873		Earth Head Stone	Aged 32 years — 58 — husband of above Aged 70 years wife of John Adams Aged 65 years 1 child Adams
304	Julia H. Adams Henry Robert H. Adams Ann J. Adams William J. Adams Henry Adams	1865 1865 1866 1866 1866		Earth — — — —	Aged 13 years Aged 10 years brother of H. Adams Aged 3 years daughter of H. Adams Aged 23 years Aged 6 months Aged 65 years
305	Ann Kilmister	1865		Earth	Aged 65 years

Image 18: A typical “clean” page of the Church-Yard Book (graves 301–305)

No.	Name	When Buried	Depth from Surface	Description of Grave	Remarks
3 411	William John Adams Ann J. Adams Albert Edward Adams Alfred John Adams Alfred John Adams	1861 1861 1861 1861 1861	8 ft 8 ft 8 ft 8 ft 8 ft	Earth Earth Earth Earth Earth	Aged 8 years Aged 13 years daughter of John Adams Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months
3 412	John J. Adams James Kilmister	1861 1861	8 ft 8 ft	Earth Earth	Aged 10 years Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months
4 413	George J. Adams Ann J. Adams George J. Adams Alfred John Adams Charles Kilmister	1861 1861 1861 1861 1861	8 ft 8 ft 8 ft 8 ft 8 ft	Earth Earth Earth Earth Earth	Aged 10 years Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months
4 414	John J. Adams Ann J. Adams George J. Adams Alfred John Adams Charles Kilmister	1861 1861 1861 1861 1861	8 ft 8 ft 8 ft 8 ft 8 ft	Earth Earth Earth Earth Earth	Aged 10 years Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months
4 415	Robert J. Adams Charles Kilmister	1861 1861	8 ft 8 ft	Earth Earth	Aged 10 years Aged 10 years 11 days 11 months

Image 19: A “scruffy” page of the Church-Yard Book with crossings-out, corrections, interlinings and a variety of date styles and handwriting (graves 411–415)

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County of <u>Glosters</u> in the year One thousand				
eight hundred and eighty-three & eighty-four.				
Name.	Abode.	When buried.	Age.	By whom the Ceremony was performed.
Frederick George 633 Hathrell.	Shirehampton.	Oct. 25 th .	1	C.W. Holland.
No. 217				
Thomas Clifford 634 Gibbons	Avonmouth.	Dec. 15. December	3 mos.	C.W. Holland.
No. 218				
Edward Jesse Screen. 635	Shirehampton.	Dec. 16.	1 1/2 yrs.	C.W. Holland.
No. 219				
Robert Maggs. 548	Avonmouth.	Dec. 16.	7 days.	C.W. Holland.
No. 220				
Ann Welchman 660	Shirehampton.	Dec. 20.	83	C.W. Holland.
No. 221				
1884 Catherine Hewton 639	Shirehampton.	1884 Jan 12 th .	77	M. B. Buckingham curate
No. 222				
William M ^r . Britton 395	Avonmouth.	Jan 13 th .	24	M. B. Buckingham
No. 223				
Mauda Lloyd.	41 Road Bristol	February 2	60	E. A. Toller Offic ^y Min ^{is}
No. 224				

Image 20: Screenshot via Ancestry.co.uk of page 28 of the burial register of 1883-84, showing burials 217-224 indexed respectively to Church-Yard Book entries 633-635, 548, 650, 639, 395, unindexed



Image 21: Memorials to those whose ashes are interred here

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For the main sequence of 800 entries, names are indexed to a printed entry number in the Book, irrespective of whether that number has been corrected or changed. Information about such changes can be found at the entries themselves. The small number of new entries in the Book after the main sequence, indicating new graves inserted into the intended numbered pattern, have distinguishing letters (e.g. 576.F). These entries are occasionally duplicated. Other abnormal references (e.g. Porch 3) are to a list of those whose relatives are entitled to free graves because of building works covering paid-for graves. References of these types are to entries on the roman-numeralled pages after the main sequence above. Material in the Appendix dealing with papers inserted loose into the Book is not indexed either because it duplicates material in the main sequence, or because it refers to people who are not yet dead or whose burial plot cannot be identified.

Indexed items which are not surnames are enclosed in [square brackets]. Also in square brackets is the single instance where a surname has been supplied by the Editor ([Harvey]). Entries in which the clerk has written simply *Blank* or *Unknown* are not indexed. Anything impersonal that is more elaborate (also in [square brackets]) is indexed.

This is an index of the Church-Yard Book as written, not of an idealized version of it, nor is it an index of the occupants of the graves per se. Spelling mistakes are not corrected and alternative readings are not indexed except in rare cases where the reader might be left uncertain (as the maker of the entry was) or might miss information of potential significance. Deleted (crossed out) material is not indexed.

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